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It's News Here!

Secretary Of Army John Marsh Visits Troops At Camp Grayling

John Marsh, the Secretary of the United States Army, spoke to 600 officers of the 38th Division Tuesday at the Grayling High School auditorium. His speech centered on U.S. Army values.

Secretary Marsh also viewed some troops in action in the field (the 738th Maintenance Battalion) and ate lunch with members of the 38th Division in the field. Security for the visit was handled by Military Police from Indiana.

Dr. Behnke to Speak at Holiday Inn

Dr. Robert J. Behnke, an international known authority on Trout and Trout Streams, will speak at the AuSable River Property Owners Annual Meeting. The meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn at 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 5th. Public invited.

Dr. Behnke will address the advantages and disadvantages of Special Fishing Regulations, including Catch and Release, on the AuSable River.

July 4th Parade Set For 11 A.M.

The 4th of July parade, bigger than ever this year will feature our own Grayling Viking Marching Band, a tumbling extravaganza by Camp AuSable, floats and much, much more.

The parade will begin at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 4th. Don't miss it.

There are still openings, contact Bill O'Brian at 348-5172 or Walt Nowak at 348-2014.

Cardboard Accepted For Boy Scout Paper Collection In Grayling

The Grayling Boy Scout Troop 979 is expanding its paper drive to include cardboard. Newspapers, grocery bags, and cardboard can be dropped off at the Grayling Township Transfer Station next to the Little League field or they can be dropped off at the semi-trailer located next to Goodale's Mini-Storage in the industrial park. The newspaper, grocery bags, and cardboard is recycled and money earned from the materials helps the Boy Scout troop. Magazines can not be accepted.

Early Copy Needed To Avoid Holiday Rush At Avalanche

The Crawford County Avalanche office will be closed Friday, July 4, for the Fourth of July holiday. Anyone with news copy or advertisements for the Thursday, July 10, issue should bring it in by Thursday, July 3rd, to avoid the rush after the July 4th holiday.

Summer Program At Library

The summer program at the Crawford County Library will begin Wednesday, July 2nd at 10:00 A.M.

Any child completing kindergarten through 4th. grade is cordially invited to attend.

Pre-registration is required. Call the library weekdays from noon until 7:00 P.M. at 348-9214.

Milltown Arts & Crafts Show

Slated for Mini-Mall July 25-26

This year's Milltown Arts & Crafts Show has been moved to the grassy area just north of the Grayling Mini-Mall. From 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. on July 25 and 26, artists and craftsmen from all over Michigan will be displaying and selling handmade items.

There are still spaces available. All types of arts and crafts work are welcome, especially "Old Time" crafts that exemplify the historic theme of Milltown. The cost is only \$15 per booth for both days. Applications must be accompanied by a photograph as this is a juried show. Contact Nancy Hatfield at 348-9769, or pick up an application at Linda's Paint and Paper, the Icehouse, or Tina's World of Ceramics.

The Arts & Crafts show is just one part of the 1986 Milltown Festival, which will take place from July 22-27.

Range Firing Conducted

"Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 25 June 86 thru 2 July 86.

The Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 25 June 86 and cease at 12:00 p.m. 2 July 86.

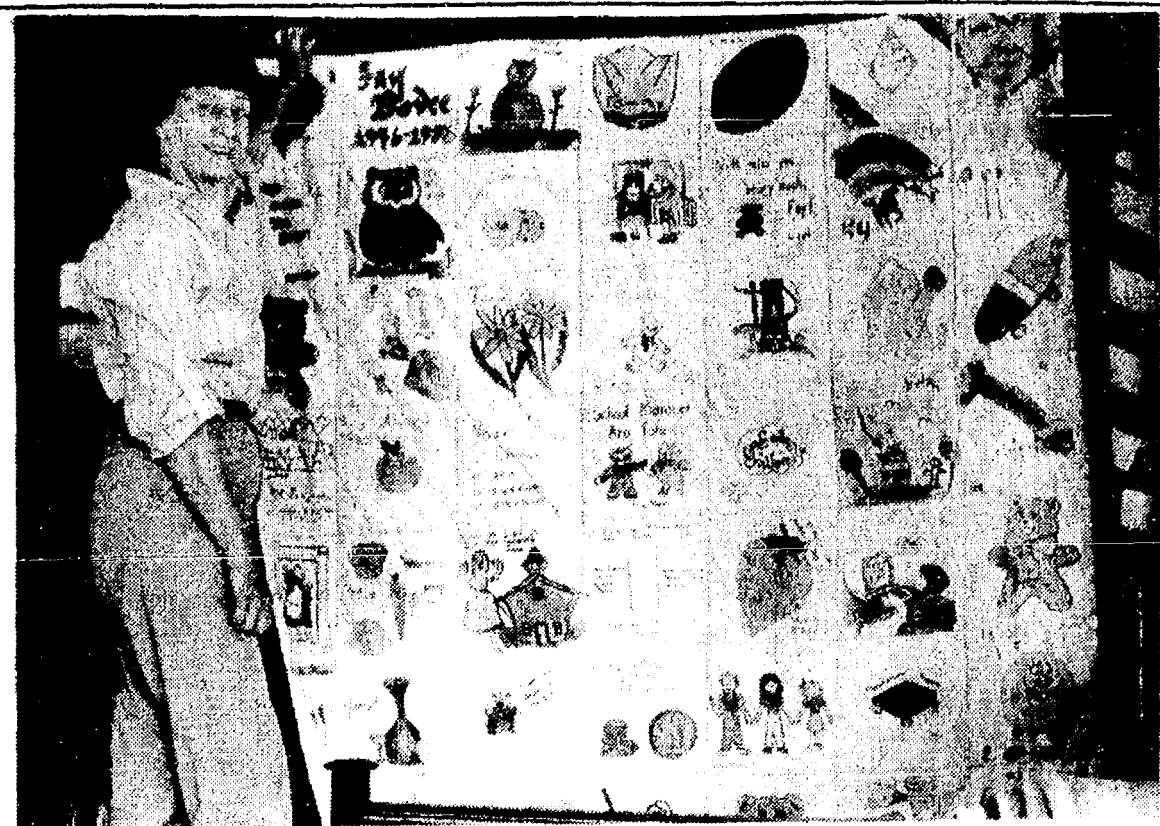
The Mortar Range located south of Main Post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Rd and on the east by Carrier Rd. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 25 June 86 and cease at 12:00 p.m. 2 July 86.

The Demolition Ranges located south of Howe Rd, west of the Crawford County line, north of Daniels Rd and east of the gas pipeline. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 25 June 86 and cease at 12:00 p.m. 2 July 86.

The Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Rd, east of Jones Lake Rd, south of County Rd 612 and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 25 June 86 and cease at 12:00 p.m. 2 July 86.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 25 June 86 and cease at 12:00 p.m. 2 July 86.

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified."



FAREWELL QUILT - Crawford AuSable School teacher Fay Bovee received a large quilt with 56 squares from students and staff at the Grayling Elementary School. Twenty four of the squares were made by her students and 32 from faculty and staff at the school. Bovee retired this June after more than 31 years of teaching. Sandy Fleming put the quilt together and it was presented to Bovee after the school awards ceremony.

Transportation Authority Adopts Substance Abuse Policy For All Employees

The Crawford County Transportation Authority unanimously approved a substance abuse policy by a 5-0 vote at their regular June 18th meeting held at the Grayling McNamara Airport.

The policy attempts to safeguard the public and CCTA workers from any risk caused by a CCTA employee's use of prescribed medication, alcohol, illegal drugs, or other controlled substances.

The policy includes all CCTA employees. The CCTA board of Bernie Fowler, Jeanette Kitchen, Jerry Morford, Ruth O'mara, and Curt Jansen voted to add the policy to the CCTA employee manual. The policy provides for disciplinary action ranging from a verbal warning to immediate dismissal.

"This system is not going to have a substance abuse problem in any way, shape, or form," said David Frederick, CCTA executive director.

The policy is the result of action by the board undertaken since anonymous information was received around May 12 that one or more Dial-A-Ride employees were using illegal drugs during off-duty hours.

Even though the information was anonymous and no employee's work performance indicated a problem existed, the CCTA board felt public safety was involved and took action. Working with their legal counsel, the board started an unannounced broad band controlled substance test screening program May 19.

After some test results were returned, the board authorized the discipline of three employees. The employees were given two week unpaid leaves and formal reprimands.

To protect the privacy of the employees, only the executive director knew the names of the three employees whose test results showed use of illegal drugs or improper use of controlled substances.

July 4th Fireworks Show Set For Camp Grayling

The annual Grayling July 4th fireworks show will again be held at Camp Grayling along Lake Margrethe this year.

The show will start at dusk Friday, July 4th. If the fireworks are rained out Friday, they will be shot off Saturday night.

The annual July 4th fireworks show was moved from downtown Grayling to Camp Grayling last year because of liability problems with the town location.

The Grayling Booster Club is again sponsoring the show. They have bought \$5,500 worth of fireworks for this year's show.

Last year's show was enjoyed by a large crowd at the camp and along the lake as well as people aboard about 200 boats on the lake.

The Grayling Booster Club is suggesting everyone planning to view the fireworks from Camp Grayling should go there early this year. Last year, many vehicles arriving at the camp just before darkness caused a traffic jam that resulted in a few people missing the show. Last year's show

lasted only 18 minutes long because of a severe storm with 80 mile an hour gusts was headed toward Grayling. It struck Lake Margrethe at about 11 p.m. but few boaters were still on the lake.

Crawford County Civil Defense director Howard Taylor was warned about the storm and he relayed the information to the Grayling Booster Club. Gerry St. Germain, president of the club then, told the professionals shooting the fireworks to go fast. The sheriff marine patrol warned many of the boaters about the storm, and the precautions paid off as no one was injured in the storm.

This year, with decent weather, the fireworks show should last longer than 18 minutes.

Parking and viewing spots at Camp Grayling will be available at the parade field. The fireworks will be shot off from the beach area again.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the fireworks show can send donations to the Grayling Booster Club at P.O. Box 279, Grayling.

Lengthy Field Exercises For Michigan Guards Not Expected To Hurt Economy

Readiness exercises that will send Michigan guards to the field for their first eight days of annual training is not expected to hurt the local economy, said MG Vernon J. Andrews, Michigan National Guard Commander.

Michigan national guards will go directly from their home armories to the field this year for more realistic training during their two-week stay at Camp Grayling.

"I really don't think this will have an adverse effect on the local economy," said Andrews at a news conference at Camp Grayling Friday. "Traditionally, most of our units have trained at night during both weeks of annual training. This year they will only train at night the first week."

Andrews said local businesses should receive a lot of guard business the last six days of annual training to make up for the loss during the first week. He also said the second weekend of annual training should be good for local businesses because the troops will be paid on the second Thursday they are here.

The Michigan troops will arrive at Camp Grayling August 9 and go directly to the field until 2 p.m. August 16. While in the field, there will be no civilian cars and alcohol consumption allowed.

After 2 p.m. August 16, troops will be released after exercises during the day and are free to go anywhere until they report back to duty the next morning.

Andrews said the lengthy field training is necessary to prepare troops.

"We must have the ability to live and fight in the field with what we have, not have many snacks we brought from home," said Andrews. "... this is real world, realistic training. It has been said many, many times, 'You will fight as you have trained.'"

Andrews said the guard does care about the local economy and he said if the new training had a severe impact, there could possibly be some changes made to lessen the impact. But the lengthy field training will continue to be part of Michigan's annual training. And other states will also be switching more and more

to this type of training.

Andrews said the higher training standards can only benefit Camp Grayling in the long run.

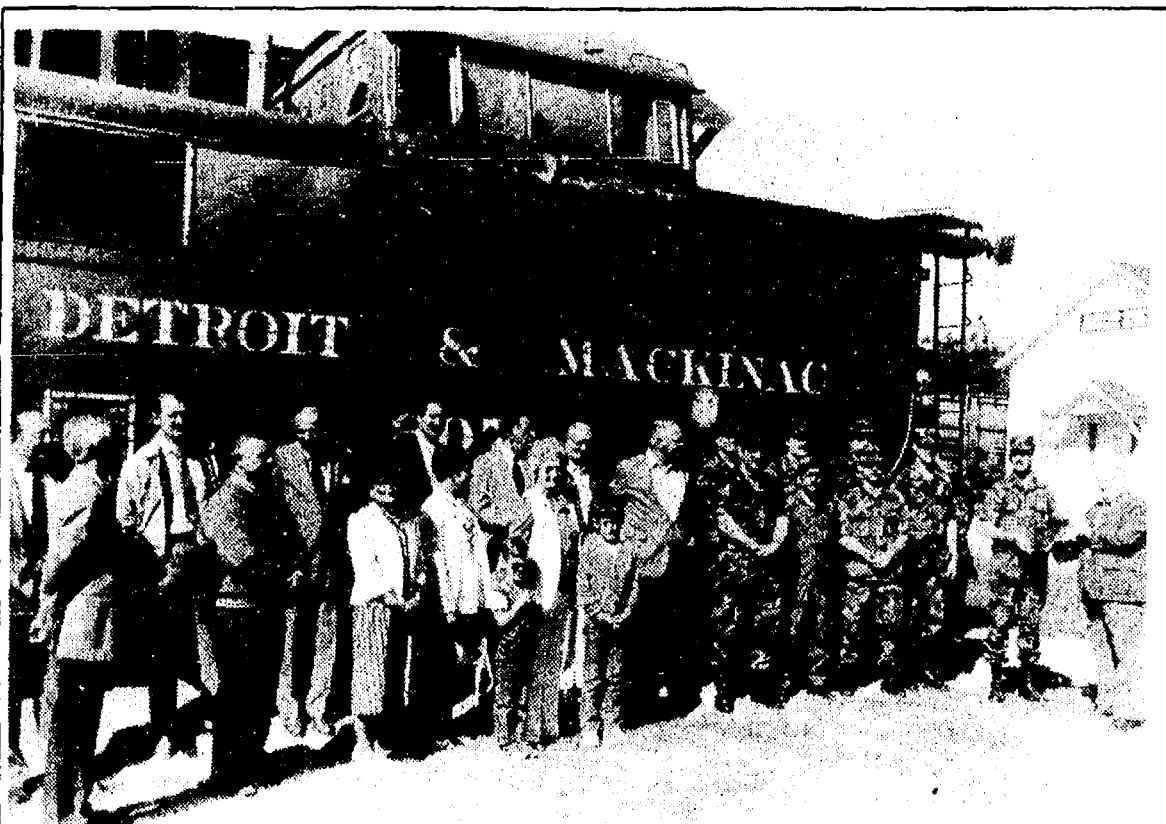
"As the second largest National Guard Training Center, Camp Grayling will grow in total annual training days and greater full-time staff to support training. We have 177 year-round positions and a payroll of \$1.8 million to support the camp."

"Also, special training and other projects are affording additional part-time jobs at Camp Grayling. With the new winterization of barracks underway, we now will be conducting winter training as well. We anticipate that more units from many other states will commence utilizing Camp Grayling for various types of winter training. I foresee that Camp Grayling will evolve into a year-round training center," said Andrews.

Citizens Stop Sexual Assault On 3-Year-Old

Grayling residents Barry Hatfield and Bruce McQuire stopped a 13-year-old boy from criminally sexually assault a three-year-old boy last Thursday and caught the suspect for police. The 13-year-old - indirectly related to the three-year-old - was turned over to Probate Court and could be charged with third degree criminal sexual assault.

Hatfield and McQuire were paddling in a canoe on Lake Margrethe in training for the AuSable Marathon when they heard screams from the shore along the Grayling Avenue portion of the lake. According to the sheriff dept., they stopped the criminal assault before penetration was made and turned the suspect over to the sheriff deputies. Names of the juveniles are not being released.



JOB WELL DONE - Jack Alef, President of Grayling State Bank (far right), presents Major Keith Bobenmoyer and his crew a plaque showing the community's appreciation for their heavy-duty lifting job when they moved the 20-ton railroad caboose off the tracks to its current location. Members of the crew who moved the caboose with two large cranes are CW2 Edward "Mike" Lee, CW2 Gary Derenzy, SSG Thomas Dawson, SGT Duane Hamblin, SSG Dale Papendick, SGT Douglas Legg, SSG Richard Myers, SSG Daniel Brandes, and SSG Ronald Doe.

Crawford County's Largest Taxpayers

Shown are the ten largest taxpayers in Crawford County and their 1985 state equalized value. (1984 ranking and equalized value shown in parentheses)

1. Shell Oil Company (4th - \$1,587,211)	\$ 6,048,686
2. Consumers Power Co. (2nd - \$2,423,801)	2,427,137
3. Great Lakes Transmission (1st - \$2,584,400)	2,323,500
4. State of Michigan (3rd - \$2,086,350)	2,102,500
5. Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. (7th - \$1,354,488)	1,762,900
6. Emil Kraus (5th - \$1,380,900)	1,687,500
7. Grayling Inns, Inc. (6th - \$1,369,150)	1,417,350
8. Top-O-Michigan Rural Electric (8th - \$1,304,074)	1,310,386
9. Union Oil Company (9th - \$1,279,874)	1,227,481
10. Weyerhaeuser Company (not among top ten)	1,108,260
Total (represents 11.68% of 1985 E/V)	\$21,415,700

(Information from Municipal Financial Consultants, Inc.)

Police Handle 86 Incidents Involving National Guards

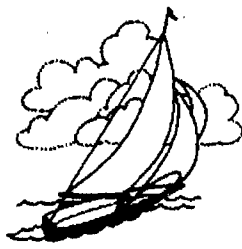
During the last week, Grayling Police handled 52 complaints involving national guards and the Crawford County Sheriff Dept. handled 34 complaints involving guards. The incidents ranged from felonious assault to larceny, drunk and disorderly, bar fights, and minor offenses such as urinating on sidewalks in downtown Grayling. The worst night was Saturday when there was an overlap of Indiana guards leaving Camp Grayling and Ohio guards coming in. Grayling City police handled 33 complaints involving guards on Saturday night. A Crawford County Sheriff Dept. patrol car received more than \$300 damage from a guard who repeatedly kicked a door. The guard was charged with malicious destruction of property.

Guard Stabbed In Argument

An Indiana guardsman is being held on a charge of felonious assault for stabbing another Indiana guardsman Saturday about 8:20 p.m. at Camp Grayling. The victim was stabbed in the arm and was taken to Mercy Hospital in Grayling. The sheriff dept. said the stabbing occurred after an argument between the two.

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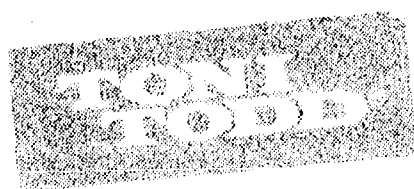
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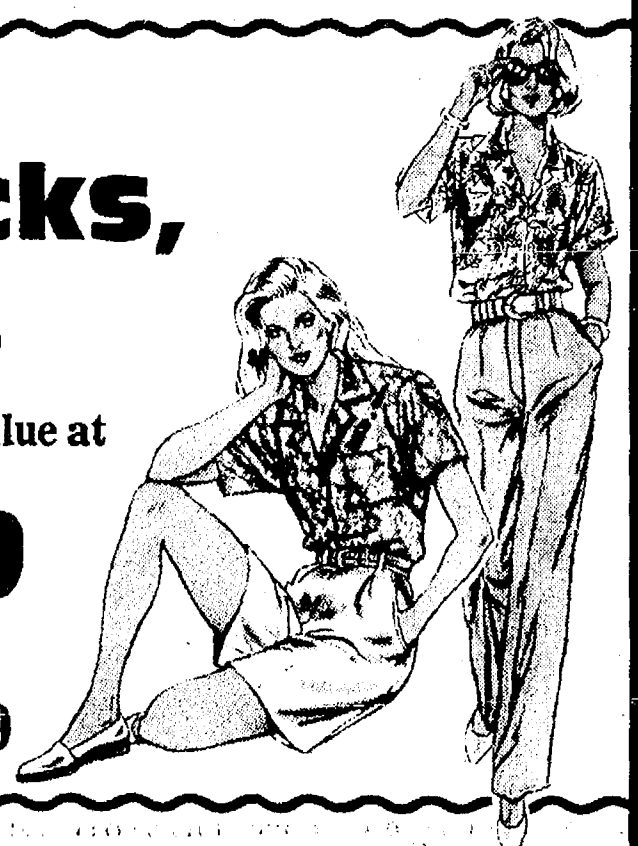
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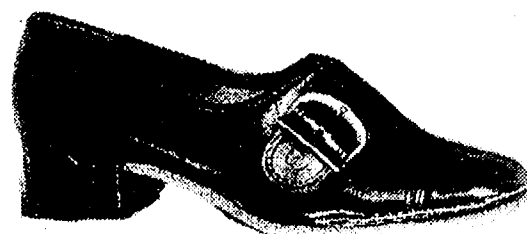
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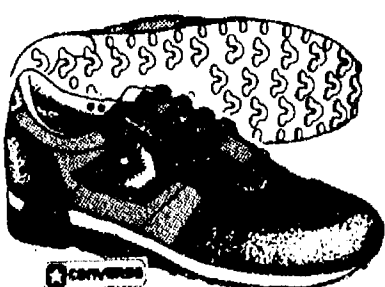
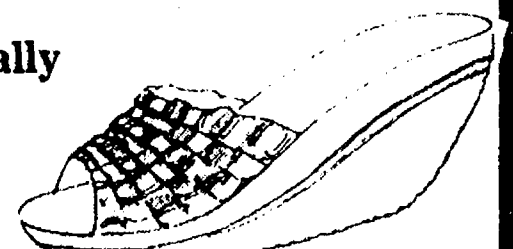
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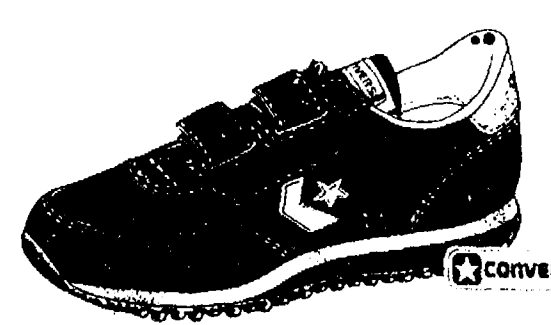
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Whitey Madsen

**From Our
Corner...**

Just in case you are interested...

The ol' fella is struggling this week. We take a week off from the turkey and have to be reprogrammed...our thoughts right now are so dull they are unprintable...

We must say though, our Father's Day sabbatical was very enjoyable...we had our Buckeye family with us for a few days over the weekend...and as they left, they said see you in August, if you will take us back home...

Now that is a dumb question for granddaughters to ask...I don't think I have said no to either T.J., or Stefany since they have been born...

The big deal in August is that they will be coming up to Traverse City for their great grandmother Kallahar's birthday, and they can stay up here for a week or so at Traverse and over here, IF, grandpa will take them home...

So, one weekend in August, I don't know which one yet, we will be making the trip to the Buckeye state...it's not too bad now, I sort of have a few land marks to show me the way...a sign here, a gas station on this corner, a Ramada Inn in Toledo just before I get on the Turnpike, and two service centers before I have to get off, then I'm almost to Amherst...

A couple weeks ago I mentioned here that Stefany had participated in the Hands Across America deal...well, when T.J. was here she said she wanted equal time...seems as she received one of the Presidential Academic Fitness Awards at her school. She was one of 12 students in the 6th grade out of some 200 students. She received a certificate and pin along with a letter from the president.

Speaking of granddaughters...I can't leave Amber out, she called last Friday evening to wish me a happy granddad day because they had just returned from two weeks trip up into California...their trip was cut short because Amber had to go back to school...out there they go the year around some sort of way...guess they were up north looking for possible relocating...I guess one would get a little tired of constant 106 temperature, or higher...in the summer...

A while ago, Bud Joyce gave me the following with the remark, that it may come in handy to help fill the turkey some week...this is the week...

**And you thought local
government was
confusing**

The following appeared in Congressional Quarterly:
50. HR 3128. Omnibus Budget Reconciliation, Fiscal 1986. Gray, D-Pa., motion to table (kill) the Martin, R-Ill., motion to concur in the Senate amendment making changes in the bill to reduce fiscal 1986 deficits. Motion agreed to 217-192: R 1-171; D 216-7-21 (ND 156-3, SD 60-18), March 18, 1986. (The Senate amendment was an amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill. The original Senate amendment was the conference agreement on the bill.) A "nay" was a vote supporting the president's position.

Wish I had said it, instead of Sydney Harris...

"When an author precedes his novel with the disclaimer, 'The characters in this book are wholly fictional and bear no resemblance to any person living or dead,' that may be exactly what's wrong with the book."

A few more grin and bear it...

"If at first you don't succeed, try, try again. Then quit. There's no use being a damn fool about it." W. C. Fields.

"It was not the apple on the tree but the pair on the ground that caused the trouble in the garden." Murphy's Laws on Sex.

"There's a difference between a philosophy and a bumper sticker." Charles M. Schulz.

With that struggle over with we will bid our gals, T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to anyone who may come in contact with the turkey, have a nice weekend, the big Fourth is right around the corner...come to Grayling and have fun...

**Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years Ago**INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM
THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO**23 Years Ago
June 27, 1963**

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welsh and family the weekend before last were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sobleskey of Saginaw.

Mrs. Larry McNamara and children, Mike, Mary Liz and P.J. spent Friday at MacKinac Island, celebrating Mike's 9th birthday anniversary. The baby, Shannon stayed with Mrs. LeRoy Papendick.

Mrs. Jack Rasmussen, Joy, John and Joel, Jan and Minard Harwood left Monday to spend four or five days camping in the U.P.

Mrs. Joe Stripe took off from Idlewood Airport on June 16th with a group of twenty from Ohio-Wesleyan University to fly to Madrid, Spain, where she will take seven weeks of Spanish courses. Mr. Stripe drove his wife to New York on Thursday and returned home Monday, the 17th.

The Dr. Ralph Steffe family of Flint came Thursday to spend two weeks at their home on the AuSable, and do some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph took their son Bill to Metropolitan Airport in Detroit, Friday, June 14th, where he took a plane for Shannon, Ireland, on his way to Treysa, Germany, where he will stay as an exchange student for two months. A card to his parents announced his safe arrival in Ireland, and that he would be spending three days in Holland before going on to Germany. The senior Josephs stayed over in Detroit to attend the women's apparel show during the weekend, and came home by way of Eaton Rapids to visit Mrs. Joseph's parents, the Vern Huntingtons.

Mrs. Leonard Allison drove her daughter Caroline to Mt. Pleasant Sunday, the 16th, where she will attend summer session at Central Michigan University. The Allison's daughter Belle entertained a group of eight friends from Traverse City Sunday with a picnic and canoe trip down the AuSable to Stephan's Bridge.

Janet Rowland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowland celebrated her fifteenth birthday, June 25th.

Miss Mary Ann Engel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Engel, graduated from the Northeastern School of Commerce secretarial class in exercises held at the First Baptist Church of Bay City, Friday, June 14th. Mary Ann has a position at Bay City Y.M.C.A. Attending the graduation were Mr. and Mrs. Engel.

**46 Years Ago
June 27, 1940**

Charles Corwin Jr. and Ernest Corwin, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin, were married during the past week. Charles Jr. married Erdine Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, and Ernest was united in marriage to Gladys Raymond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raymond of Harietta. The two couples left Sunday morning on a honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and the World's Fair at New York.

Little Kathleen Wood celebrated her 6th birthday anniversary Wednesday and had as her guests twenty-five little

friends for the afternoon. Several games were enjoyed with Bobby Smith and Margaret Brown taking honors. A lovely lunch was served by Kathleen's mother, Mrs. Earl Wood, with a prettily decorated birthday cake with six lighted candles gracing the luncheon table. Favors were given to each little guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Walde-mar Hanson (Illa Welch) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Sunday at Mercy Hospital. Michael Duane is his name and he tipped the scales at 9 pounds, 2 ounces.

The Misses Jerrine Mathews and Betty Christianson have gone to Saginaw for a two weeks visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Henry Ahman.

Joyce and Robert Bugby are spending a three weeks vacation in Flint visiting their sister, Mrs. Charles David.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard King and two children and Douglas King of Toledo are visiting fourteen days with Mr. and Mrs. Roy King in Beaver Creek. The gentlemen are all brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Geister of Flint were weekend guests of the former's brother Wendell Geister and wife who are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter. The party enjoyed a canoe trip down the AuSable Sunday.

Robert Gates of Romeo is spending the week at the Wm. Simpson cottage at Lakeview Park, Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Emil Niederer, daughter Betsy and son Emil Jr. are spending the week in Mason.

**69 Years Ago
June 28, 1917**

Miss Nola Sheehy and Hattie Gierke left Saturday for Bay City. Miss Sheehy will remain for a week's vacation, Miss Gierke returned home Monday.

Little Junior Hanson entertained a number of his friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of his birthday anniversary.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl England Tuesday, June 26th.

Miss Jean McCullough, after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.O. McCullough, left Tuesday for a few days visit in Detroit and Cleveland. She will return to Pittsburgh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Lewis and son Mark left Wednesday on an auto trip to Brown City and other places in southern Michigan.

Miss Ruth Strope of Detroit is a guest of Miss Jennie Ingley at her cottage at Portage Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bauman had the honor of celebrating the 25th anniversary of their marriage Wednesday, June 27. In commemoration of the event, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Hanson, parents of Mrs. Bauman, invited all near relatives to gather at their summer home at Portage Lake to make the occasion a happy one.

A.J. Charron who recently returned to Grayling from Rogers City, has opened a cigar factory in the Russell hotel. The brands he manufactures are Battleship and Sanco.

Cool It

Keep the refrigerator at 38 to 40 degrees and the freezer at 0 degrees.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

**WHY DO WE
EXPONE ERROR?**

Jesus said, "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which to in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it. Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are raving wolves. Ye shall know them by their fruits." (Matthew 7:13-16a). Jesus said the way of spiritual life is strait and narrow, and few find it. He explains why people are deceived to follow the wide and broad way which leads to destruction. They are following false prophets who are misleading them. Jesus said the majority of people are going to Hell.

We expose error because we love the souls of people in Grayling. All religious teaching contrary to the literal teaching of the Bible is false and misleading.

People are being deceived into believing there are many roads to heaven and we can all get there by our own way if we are only sincere. Even the great apostle Paul commended as noble those who believed his preaching only because Holy Scripture taught it. "These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so." (Acts 17:11).

We expose error because it is required of a good minister. "Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines, of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron; Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with

thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth...If thou put the brethren in remembrance of these things, thou shalt be a good minister of Jesus Christ, nourished up in the words of faith and of good doctrine, whereunto thou hast attained." (I Tim. 4:1-3,6).

We expose error because it is commanded. "I charge thee...Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables." (II Timothy 4:1-4).

No one likes to expose error, but it is essential for a Bible believing preacher.

Pastor "B"
(Hear "The Bible Speaks" on Tuesday at 12:15 p.m. on WQON 100 FM).

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THURSDAY

SALE—July 3, 4, 5, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Thomas Organ, 5 h.p. Johnson Sea Horse Motor; Gould's Shallow well pump, rebuilt, like new; Toro 3 1/2 h.p. lawnmower; TV antenna, complete with mast; motors, new & old, 1/4 - 5 h.p.; lots of odds & ends. Off Stephen Bridge Rd. at Evergreen Drive, watch for signs. -26-3-

YARD SALE—Frederic, Old 27, 1 mile S. of 612, June 26-28, 10-5, dog houses, glider, clothes, remote camera & TV, X-country skis, and much more. -26-

GARAGE SALE—Rain or shine, West 72 to Old Lake Road, follow signs to 6406 Karen St., new 25,000 BTU Lear Sigler wall heater, new wood stove pipes for cabin/garage, (1) 40 gal. good used electric hot water heater, (1) 20 gal. good used hot water heater, lots of misc., trains. June 23-26 only, 348-9350, 9-5. -26-

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EXCELLENT INCOME for part time home assembly work. For info, call 312-741-8400 Ext. 100. -26-

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FOR SALE—1976 Firebird 250, 6 cyl., straight stick, good motor, & transmission, \$125.00. Can be seen at 1878 Danish Landing. -26-

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FOR SALE—76 Pontiac Grand Prix, some rust, runs good, \$500.00. Call 348-8526. -26-

FOR SALE—Toyota 747 knitting machine with ribber, A-1 condition, asking \$350.00. Call 348-5515. -26-3-

FOR SALE—Used lawnmower, good condition, \$45.00, 348-8016. -26-

WANTED—Used upright freezer in working condition. 348-7259 -26-

WANTED—Babysitter in the Frederic area. Must be reliable, call 348-4261 evenings. -26-

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HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER—3 Bedroom house in town, priced in the thirties. Call 517/348-8108 or 517/348-8961. -26-3-

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FOR SALE BY OWNER—small three bedroom home with garage on large corner lot North Park Drive and Roberts Road. Phone 348-8250, Grayling. -26-3-

FRIDAY

5 DAY GARAGE SALE—Sherwood Forest, follow signs. Fri. & Sat., 9 a.m.-6 p.m. -26-

GARAGE SALE—Fri. & Sat., June 27 & 28th, 9-5 only, bike lights, exercise equipment, antique Gargoyles, settees, mens clothing, XL, womens, med., auto accessories & much more. Edgewater Lane, Stephan Bridge Road. -26-

WRINGER WASHING MACHINE—Reece hitch & miscellaneous, 9-5. Fri. & Sat., off 72 east, 1st road east of Stephan Bridge Road. 348-5969. -26-

GARAGE SALE—Lake Margrethe, Portage, one block off Grayling Ave., Fri. & Sat., June 27 & 28, 10-5, Boston Whaler, misc. clothing, toys, small appliances, bargains. -26-

GARAGE SALE—M-72 East to Sweet Fern Drive, Friday, June 27th, 9-5, storms w/screens, water skis, small air compressor, dishes & much misc. -26-

FOUR FAMILY GARAGE SALE—June 27 & 28, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Jim's Well Drilling, 1 mile from Grayling on M-72 E. Wire fencing & gate, bunk beds, smoke stand, antique Dental cabinet, beach chair, bean bag, snowmobile suit, size med., with helmet, boots & gloves; 2 bridesmaid or prom dresses, size 8 & 12; winter & spring coats and ladies clothing, size 5 to 12; boys clothing 8-14; 12" black & white TV, picnic basket & assorted baskets, Torro weed whip, sauerkraut crocks, bowling balls, halloween items, BMX bikes, counter top refrigerator, many household items and much more. -26-

SATURDAY

MOVING SALE—605 Chestnut, stove, refrigerator, some furniture and assorted items. One day only, 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m., Saturday, June 28th. -26-

HUGE BACK YARD SALE—508 Ogden, sidewalk skates, games, much more. Runs next two Saturdays. -26-

RUMMAGE SALE—Saturday, June 28, 700 Elm St. from 9-5. -26-

GARAGE SALE—Sat. & Sun., 9-6, Furniture, household items, tools, boys bike, canning items, child's desk, shelving, much more. Glen Road, off N. Down River Road. -26-

PORCH SALE—Karen Woods, 6421 Old Lake Road, Sat. only, baby clothes, maternity, boys, most items \$25. -26-

MISCELLANEOUS

BEEHIVES ANTIQUES & FLEA MARKET—Crib, bedroom set, sofa, Victorian chairs, old quilts, crocheted bedspread, maple dresser, oak stacking bookcase, oak cupboard, oak mantle, maple harvest table, folding bed, walnut chest, much misc. \$2 tables, \$25 tables. Beehive Antiques & Flea Market, 528 S. Fifth, Roscommon, 275-5643. Open Thursday thru Sunday afternoons. -26-

Eagle Auxiliary

Seventeen members attended the June 19 meeting. We're glad to see so many members attending, lets keep it up ladies. Midge Dishan, and Winnie Nims from downstate attended the meeting.

The Aerie & Auxiliary will be marching in the July 4th parade, it starts forming at the Elementary School at 10 a.m. Parade time at 11:00, we'd like to have a good representation so try and participate. A special thank you to Ann Latusek who has served so ably as our secretary. This is honor your secretary month, good work Ann.

Sunday, June 22, a joint initiation was held. The Aerie inducted one member, Doris Harland. Gloria Van Paris, of Cheboygan lodge, attended the meeting. A chicken dinner was served (prepared by Ann Latusek) with the ladies furnishing salads and desserts.

A big Hi, hurry and get well to Bill Bellanger who is in Mercy Hospital.

Our next regular meeting will be July 3, at 7:30 p.m. See you at the meeting.

Lucksted Heads Fitness Program At Corporation

Bill Lucksted, a 1980 graduate of GHS and recent graduate of Grand Valley State College, has been named exercise specialist for Steelecease, an office furniture manufacturer in Grand Rapids. Lucksted who holds a bachelor of science degree in corporate fitness, will head an in-house fitness program for the company. Lucksted began his job June 17.

Lucksted, who set several records as a wide receiver for Grand Valley, was honored by the college recently when they asked him to carry a torch two miles in a run from Allendale, the site of Grand Valley, to Grand Rapids, a new site for expanding Grand Valley.

Lucksted was also chosen by Rob Rubik, of the Detroit Lions, to help at the summer Special Olympics. Lucksted and Rubik were teammates at Grand Valley, and Lucksted seemed destined to be the third receiver from Grand Valley to break into the pro ranks but he was injured during tryouts with the Michigan Panthers. He later was in an auto accident that further prevented him from returning to football.

SENIOR CITIZEN'S CORNER

HELPFUL IDEAS FOR SUCCESSFUL RETIREMENT

"Golden" Years?

More than five million Americans will reach retirement age this year. The dream of spending time in a warmer climate or moving there permanently will come true for many of them. Whether it's fishing, sailing, or golf, they'll be spending more time in the sun than ever before, and their age group is highly susceptible to the most prevalent form of cancer in the United States today—skin cancer.

The American Academy of Dermatology estimates that since 1950, the number of deaths from malignant melanoma in persons 65 years old or older has increased 600 percent among men and 500 percent among women. Malignant melanoma is the deadliest form of skin cancer, and they estimate 23,000 people will be diagnosed as having this disease in 1986. The good news is that if skin cancer is detected and treated in time, it is almost

always curable.

Experts believe periodic self-examinations and common sense can help. They suggest to be on the lookout for any unusual moles, blemishes, or discolorations, and pay close attention to wounds that don't heal or heal then reopen. Try to stay out of the sun as much as possible during the peak hours of 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Use a sunscreen with a sun protection factor (SPF) of at least 15. And remember, an overcast day can be just as hazardous as a sunny day.

It appears that the same amount of radiation that does nothing to a younger person may cause skin cancer in an older person. The cumulative effect of the sun over the years automatically puts you in a high risk category. By being in the Sunbelt area, you become a prime target. Taking a few simple precautions while enjoying your retirement years may save you a lot of trouble down the road.

Guidelines For Safe Fourth

Every Fourth of July, many children, and adults as well, are seriously burned or injured while playing with fireworks. According to Consumer Product Safety Commission estimates, over ten thousand people were treated in hospital emergency rooms last year for injuries associated with fireworks. Forty-two percent were under 15 years old.

To help Fourth of July celebrants have a safe and legal holiday, the Michigan State Police offer some guidelines and precautions.

The only fireworks which may be sold legally at the retail level and used by the general public are restricted to: toy paper caps, snakes, toy smoke devices, toy trick noise makers, wire sparklers (size No. 14 or less), flitter sparklers, and both cone and cylinder fountains.

Any other fireworks are illegal for sale and use unless proper permits are obtained from the local governing body. Fireworks which send a projectile into the air, spin, twirl, or emit an audible report (excluding toy paper caps and trick noise makers) are illegal. Local jurisdictions may have more restrictive ordinances. Contact them for more information.

Fire Marshal officers stress that caution should be used and offer several safety precautions:

Make sure fireworks are legal for use by local ordinance and state law;

Check for manufacturer's label and instructions for use on all fireworks—illegally manufactured fireworks rarely have either;

Provide adult supervision and don't allow very young children to handle fireworks;

Light only one device at a time;

Ignite fireworks outdoors and away from buildings and combustible materials;

Don't try to relight or handle malfunctioning fireworks. Soak them in water and throw away;

Don't attempt to alter or use fireworks in a manner not intended.

If you have questions on the safety or legality of any fireworks, contact any State Police post or local police or fire department for assistance.

THOUGHT FOR FOOD

by GOULD CROOK

Baked Custard
Preheat oven to 325°F.

In a 2-in. deep pan, set six 5-oz. custard cups or a 1-qt. casserole.

Scald and then cool slightly: 2 cups milk

Meanwhile, beat only to blend: 3 eggs

Add and mix: 1/4 cup Sugar

Twin 1/4 tsp. salt

Slowly stir in: slightly cool milk

1/2 to 1 tsp. vanilla

Pour custard into cups or casserole. Put hot water around custards, 1 in. deep

Bake for 40-45 min. or until knife inserted off center comes out clean. Serve warm or chilled. To unmold chilled cup custard, first loosen edge; then slip point of knife down side to let air in. Invert. Makes 6 servings.

Youth Service Bureau

The first week of the Youth Service Bureau Summer Counseling and Recreation program got under way Monday, June 16th. Despite some rain, we were able to follow most of our first week's schedule.

On Monday group A, spent the morning playing BINGO and we went to Milltown Miniature Golf in the afternoon.

On Tuesday group B, played BINGO and relay races in the morning and they went to Milltown Miniature Golf in the afternoon.

On Wednesday group A, spent the day at the lake. The group swam, played volleyball and sunbathed.

Because of the rain on Thursday, group B, was unable to go swimming. Instead, the group played indoor games and went home early.

This week's special thanks goes out to Skip Madson and his family at Milltown Miniature Golf and Crawford County Transit Staff. Thanks for all your help!

This week's schedule calls for the following list activities:

Monday group A, swimming at Pine Knoll Campgrounds,

Tuesday group B, Emergency Equipment Tour (police/fire),

Wednesday group A, Mercy Hospital Tour

Thursday group B, AuSable River canoe trip and picnic.

By: Michelle Hatley

Mercy Hospital

Those admitted to Mercy Hospital during the past week were Jerome Kessler and Patricia Adkison, both of Grayling.

Those discharged were Louise Heise of Roscommon, Amber Spayde of Houghton Lake, and Jerome Kessler of Grayling.

Joseph and Kristina Newman of Grayling are happy to announce the arrival of Julie Denise, 7 lbs. 1/4 oz. on June 10, 1986.

Robert and Mary Shattuck of Roscommon are pleased to announce the arrival of Emily Jane on June 17, 1986. Emily weighed 9 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs.

Gilbert and Nancy Kustra of Grayling are happy over the arrival of Kerry Ann on June 17, 1986. Kerry weighed 9 lbs.

Allen and Mary Lowe are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Nathan Joseph on June 18, 1986. Nathan weighed 8 lbs. 1/2 oz.

Daniel and Brenda Collins are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Hayley Marie on June 19, 1986. She weighed 6 lbs. 12 ozs.

THE RIGHT PLACE

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JOHN WAYNE
WHO WEIGHED 13 LBS. AT BIRTH IN WINTERSET, IOWA, SAID OF HIS MOVIE CAREER, "THAT HE 'ONLY SOLD SINCERITY'."

BELTED KINGFISHERS
SOMETIMES SPEAR FISH WITH THEIR BEAKS, THEN KILL THEM BY BEATING THEM AGAINST TREES.

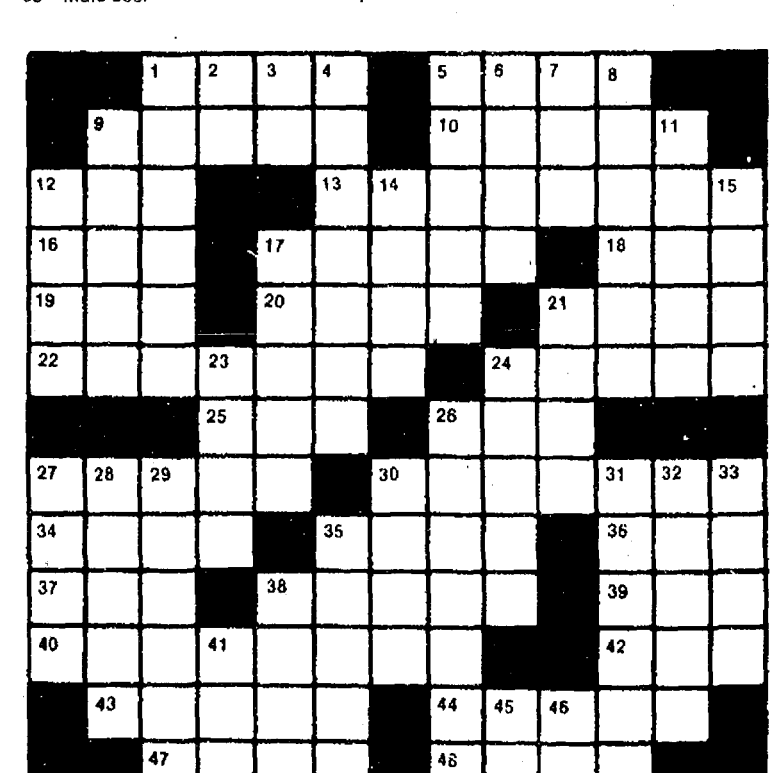
WEEKEND CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1 Try
- 2 Adjusts
- 3 Nodes
- 4 Worthless people
- 5 Title
- 6 Transparent green gemstones
- 7 Literary scraps
- 8 Baby carriages
- 9 Scream sound
- 10 Decade
- 11 Girl
- 12 Half-prefix
- 13 States
- 14 Pertaining to the kidney
- 15 At all
- 16 Help
- 17 Slope
- 18 Common cause of cancer
- 19 Abdominal sac which contains liquid
- 20 Rabbits
- 21 Amadee, Comte
- 22 American Cancer Society: abbr.
- 23 Male deer

DOWN

- 1 Oppressor
- 2 Print measure
- 3 Spain: abbr.
- 4 Treatment of bodily disorder
- 5 Stalks
- 6 Makes a mistake
- 7 Aunt Sp.
- 8 This often enlarges in leukemia
- 9 Hospital bed clothes
- 10 Abnormal sweating
- 11 Satisfy
- 12 Lump
- 13 Candle fish
- 14 Sow
- 15 Writing table
- 16 Chambers
- 17 Import illegally
- 18 Cal command
- 19 French school
- 20 Possessions
- 21 Cat
- 22 Hospital worker
- 23 Bean-shaped bodies that can act as filters in the lymphatic system
- 24 Carrier of heredity
- 25 Mixes
- 26 Show var.
- 27 Article
- 28 Smith
- 29 Iowa: abbr.



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Wrong way to write law

by Richard Milliman

CONTRARY TO WHAT we learn in civics classes in school, there is more than one way to write laws.

School children are taught that a bill is introduced into one house of the national congress, or the state legislature, studied in both the House and the Senate, voted on in both branches, and — if passed in the legislative body — then signed or vetoed by the president or governor.

That's the way laws are made in the more usual and traditional sense. However, just as there is more than one way to skin a cat, so is there more than one way to enact law.

A CASE IN POINT is the current activity to extend the civil rights laws to cover victims of AIDS.

The New York Times reported recently that Justice Department lawyers in Washington have concluded at least tentatively that people with AIDS are "handicapped individuals" entitled to protection under federal civil rights law.

These federal lawyers have apparently decided that AIDS victims meet the statutory definition of handicapped person because they have a physical impairment that substantially limits one or more "major life activities." The Times reported.

Under the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, it is illegal for federal agencies and recipients of federal money to discriminate against handicapped people who are otherwise qualified for a particular job, service or benefit, The Times reported.

"BECAUSE OF PUBLIC hysteria connected with the disease, persons with AIDS frequently become societal pariahs, irrationally ostracized by their communities because of medically baseless fears of contagion, and people's historical fear of both disease and the sick," the lawyers' opinion is reported to claim.

"This treatment of persons with AIDS, grounded in irrational public prejudices, is precisely one of the kinds of behaviors that led to the enactment of the Rehabilitation Act."

Following this reasoning, apparently, AIDS sufferers will be eligible for all federal aid now available to handicapped persons, including protection in the job market.

WELL, NUTS.
What is happening here is that the

federal lawyers are making new law. That's not how the civics books tell us it is done, but all too often, that's exactly what happens in this lawmaking system of ours.

The civil rights laws in the first place were enacted for the purpose of providing equal protection of the laws to all persons, regardless of race, color or national origin.

But these laws have become much more than that...they have too often become the haven for pressure groups who want a cut of the action. And that's probably what's happening in this case, too.

MAYBE VICTIMS OF AIDS should be protected by federal law. Maybe these unfortunate individuals should have federal job benefits and financial assistance. Certainly they are handicapped by their illness.

But if the law is to be extended into a new category, then it should be accomplished by the traditional law-making system. These laws should be enacted by the elected representatives of the people — the members of the congress or the state legislatures — and not by the unilateral decisions of non-elected career lawyers in the Justice Department.

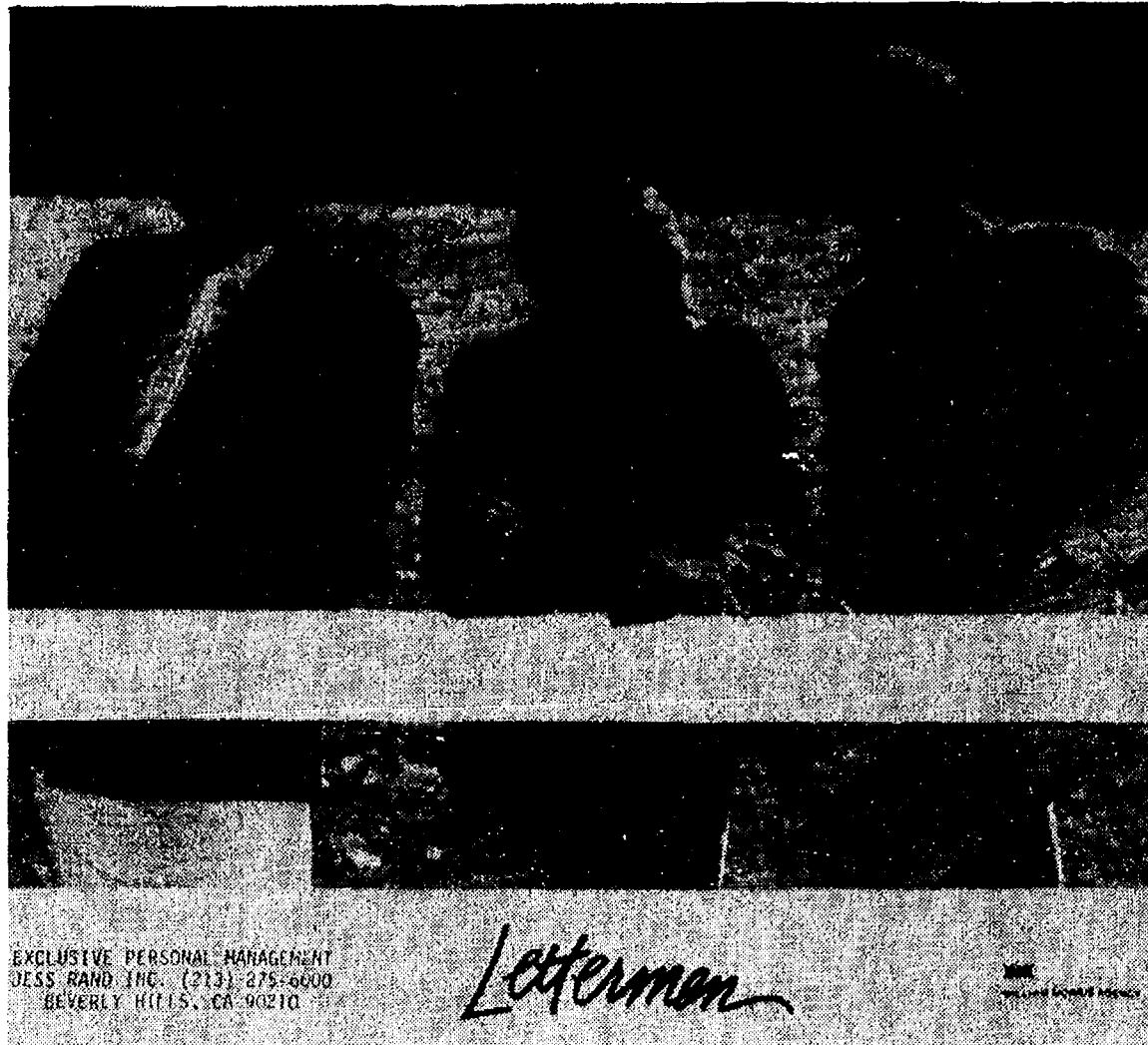
The same sort of thing has happened with the Social Security system in this country. Originally the Social Security Act was enacted to provide some assurance that people who have worked for a living will have some sort of income once they reach old age — not a complete retirement system, however.

BUT WHAT IS the Social Security system now? It's expected to be a complete retirement program, when it was not intended that way and is not properly structured to accomplish such an end.

Social Security also is expected to take care of the blind, the lame and the halt — plus children and students and who knows what-all. It certainly is not the system it was when it was adopted; it's a far cry from it.

Most of these add-on programs probably have their own individual merits, but they have been added under a smokescreen. That's not the way the system should work—that's not the way laws should be made—but all too often it's the way things happen in government.

Is it any wonder that more and more people are exhibiting less and less confidence in government at all levels?



"The Lettermen" to Head Artist Series at Kirtland

The first event of the 1986-87 Performing Artist Series at Kirtland Community College will be "The Lettermen" on Sunday, September 14, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. in the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium.

The dictionary defines harmony as "a combination of musical sounds considered to be pleasing." The music world could define harmony as "The Lettermen." For more than twenty years, The Lettermen—Tony Butala, Mark Preston, and Donovan Scott Key; each of whom are entertainers in their own right — have kept the meaning of harmony alive with their soft, romantic, harmonic blend of music which is as popular with their fans today as it was in 1961 when they recorded their first hit, "The Way You Look Tonight."

To their credit, The Lettermen have over 50 albums — nine certified gold — and a myriad of hits including "When I Fall In Love," "Come Back Silly Girl," "Theme From A Summer Place," "Goin' Out Of My Head/Can't Take My Eyes Off Of You," "Put Your Head On My Shoulder," and "Shangri-La."

Today, The Lettermen find themselves maintaining a very full schedule including concerts, club dates, television work (guest appearances as well as their own specials) and headline appearances on the Nevada/Atlantic City circuit.

"You have to give your audience your all," states record producer and group founder Tony Butala. "The public needs to get more from your personal appearances than they can derive by staying at home listening to their albums."

This is where entertaining has to see you through. I feel The Lettermen are entertainers who just happen to have a recording career."

The Lettermen keep no secret about the fact that they love what they do. In the course of their career, they have performed more than 7,000 shows; yet each time they sing their hits, they say it is a new experience as each audience is new. Where ever they perform, The Lettermen always enjoy their audiences enough to touch them.

Also on the season will be the McLain Family Band in October, The Little Miami

Completes MP Training

Pvt. Jeffery L. McCutcheon, son of Gerald A. and Sally J. McCutcheon of 129 Surfside Drive, Roscommon, has completed training as an Army military police specialist under the one station unit training (OSUT) program at Fort McClellan, Ala.

OSUT is a 13-week period which combines basic training with advanced individual training.

Students were trained in civil and military law, traffic control, map reading and self-defense.

He is a 1985 graduate of Roscommon High School.

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MICHIGAN MIRROR

State Gets Bad Business Climate Rating

Warren M. Hoyt, Exec. Dir., MPA

Michigan was again given the "worst business climate" label in the continental United States by a Chicago accounting firm in a study that annually is denounced by state officials as biased against advanced manufacturing states.

The new report was the fourth year in a row Michigan was ranked 48th (its ranking was 45th in 1981) by the Grant Thornton Company and it placed last among states in the Great Lakes region as well.

Timothy Ceval of the Grant Company said Michigan ranked last in change in population from 1984, had the highest average wages, highest unemployment costs due to a lingering debt from the recession and was only slightly better in welfare expenditures and decreases in unionized workers.

Also among the 22 factors measured are total manufacturing costs, availability of the workforce, state fiscal policies and pollution abatement expenditures.

Commerce Director Doug Ross said the rating is "simply wrong" and added Michigan is always near the top state in the country in manufacturing investment.

And, he noted a University of North Carolina study recently reported Michigan's 251,400 new non-agricultural jobs added in the last year was the sixth best in the country.

"It's not surprising that Grant Thornton's forecast has little credibility," Ross said.

While Ceval said the company does not really focus on the rankings because industries and economies between regions are so different, he said some correlation between the ranking and growth does exist.

He said Florida, which has ranked in the top three states for several years, was second highest in the nation in both percentage growth and absolute numbers of jobs added between 1978 and 1985.

While ranking 8th in the Great Lakes in business climate, Michigan led the region

between 1984 and 1985 in job growth, adding 13,200, although over the 1978-85 period, its change in jobs trailed four other states, losing 220,600, the study said.

"What we're seeing now is the loss of manufacturing jobs is slowing," Ceval said.

"Strikingly, the two states that ranked one and two last year (the Dakotas) have less manufacturing employment between them than the Saginaw-Bay City-Midland metropolitan area," said Paul Courant, director of the University of Michigan Institute of Public Policy Studies.

He said the Grant document is of little value as a predictor of economic behavior.

Republican Party Chairman Spencer Abraham said the study and the return of Michigan to the top of the unemployment rate heap "refutes (Governor) Jim Blanchard's claims that Michigan is the 'Come-back State'."

"This study again shows that whatever gains we have made in our economy have been matched by other states and that Michigan is not doing what is necessary to attract manufacturers in the future," Abraham concluded.

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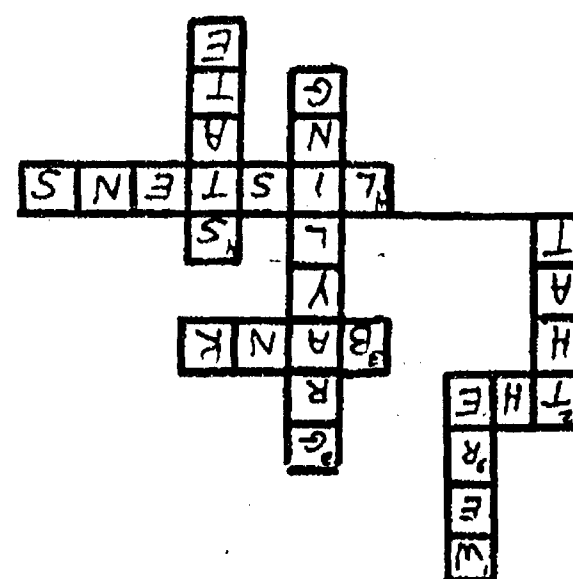
PUZZLED???

DOWN

1. Contraction: We are.
2. Pronoun: Designating a person or thing.
3. Our Hometown.
4. Michigan is one.

ACROSS

2. Adj.; definite article
3. Snow or Piggy
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Language Arts

A new reading and language arts series of textbooks and materials was adopted and purchased for grades K-5. Approximately \$50,000 was spent as the Harcourt, Brace, Jovanovich English and Reading series was implemented. The series was adopted following fourteen months of analysis and review by the district's Language Arts Committee. The newly adopted series matches well with the district's board adopted objectives, the California Achievement Test and the Michigan Educational Assessment Test.

In April, Grayling Middle School seventh and eighth graders participated in the National Language Arts Olympics, a test consisting of 50 items including vocabulary, spelling, grammar and reading skills. Top scholar for the eighth grade was Teresa Ferguson, scoring 46 out of 50. Top scholar for the seventh grade was Joshua Woodland, scoring 45 out of 50. For the first year of its participation, Grayling Middle School was in the top half of over 700 participating nationally.

With the help of Adams Photography, the journalism classes set up a dark room. Students were taught how to develop and print photographs. For five of the six issues of "In the Middle", students took, developed and printed the photographs for the school newspaper.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The district employs 81 full time and 2 half time teachers, 61 full time and 2 half time non-teaching employees, and 7 full time and 2 half time administrators for a total of 154 employees.

67% of the professional staff upgraded themselves by attending professional conferences, workshops, visiting other education institutions and businesses and undertaking advanced college coursework. Conferences and inservices attended include the Educational Computer use conference, Michigan reading conference, child growth and development, Michigan Association of physical education and recreation, Michigan Band and Orchestra, and middle school conference.

Nine district educators participated in a series of I.T.I.P. (Instructional Theory Into Practice) workshops, throughout the fall.

The Frederic fifth grade published four editions of the "Frederic Eagle Gazette."

Grayling High School graduates attending college annually report that they are exceptionally well prepared for college English coursework. They strongly recommend that college bound students enroll in the full English college preparatory curriculum. 12 seniors in our Advanced Placement English courses scored well enough on the College Board Advanced Placement test to receive college credit during the past three years.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE - SPANISH

27 percent of high school students were enrolled in Spanish classes this year compared to the state average of 11% in foreign languages and the national average of 17%.

18 percent of the middle school students were enrolled in foreign language.

High School Spanish students participated in the Saginaw Valley State College Foreign Language Day and took field trips to the Detroit Institute of Arts to view the Diego Rivera exhibit and to Interlochen Arts Academy to see "El Morao."

High School Spanish students raised and donated \$150 toward the Red Cross Mexico earthquake relief effort.

Middle School Spanish students watched Spanish Flamenco dancers at Interlochen Arts Academy.

I.T.I.P. focuses on skills for management of classroom instructional goals and objectives. Eighteen additional educators will receive training during the 1986-87 school year.

58% of the professional staff possess masters degrees or equivalent.

Pat Nunn, Grayling Elementary principal, served this year as immediate past president of the Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association.

Carl Naghtin, high school principal, served this year as vice president of the Northern Michigan region of the Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals.

Kent Reynolds, Superintendent, has been appointed to the 15 member Michigan Senate Property Tax Commission. He also served this year on the Education Leadership Committee of the Michigan Association of School Administrators.

Did You Know That...



GRAYLING HIGH SCHOOL NAMED A MICHIGAN EXEMPLARY HIGH SCHOOL

This spring Grayling High School was named one of seven exemplary Michigan High Schools. This places Grayling High School in the elite class of only 25 (out of 750) Michigan High Schools which have been designated as exemplary during the three years of the program designed to identify schools meeting significant standards of educational excellence. The honor is important not only to the school district but to the entire community as it publically advertizes the high priority placed upon quality education by the community. It is an important part of what makes Crawford County and the Grayling area a great place to live, work and raise children. Several reasons for the high school's designation as exemplary are as follows:

the percentage of students exceeding the district's minimum graduation requirements in the areas listed:

English	63%
Math	93%
Social Studies	88%
Science	73%
Foreign Language	62%
Physical Education	71%
Vocational Education	79%
Computers	68%

the daily student attendance averages approximately 93%;

the daily teacher attendance averages almost 98%;

the graduation requirements have a flexibility clause to allow individual student needs to be met;

the school and district goal setting and planning process;

the district gifted/talented program;

the reading/math competency requirement;

the school disciplinary process;

career and post-secondary counseling;

participation in the school by the community and community organizations;

student participation in extra curricular activities;

the excellent educational atmosphere;

the success of graduates at the college level; and

the school's high MEAP test scores.

GIFTED AND TALENTED

(Advanced Studies)

The district program is recognized statewide as one of the few with articulated K-12 planning. The identification process and planning model are held up as examples to copy. District Instructors presented information regarding the program and also principles of Gifted/Talented education at 5 different conferences and in-services during the school year.

COUNSELING

The high school counselors work with students, teachers, administrators and community organizations to provide appropriate counseling and guidance services to students and their parents. These services include personal counseling, career counseling, goal setting, academic adjustment and skill development, and college selection and application completion.

The high school counselors held over 1200 individual interviews involving testing, career decisions, personal and academic progress.

Through the auspices of the counseling department and the C.O.O.R. Intermediate School District, approximately 30 students were placed in job experiences.

The counselors administered and interpreted the MEAP, OVIS, PSAT, ACT, SAT, ASVAB, Advanced Placement Testing and Slosson Individual Intelligence Test to over 500 students.

The counselors implemented an ACT Coaching Class designed to prepare juniors for the ACT (American College Test). The counseling office utilizes a computer to help students with preparation for national tests and plan to purchase additional software that will include test preparation material, financial aid information and career education material.

A counselor visited Ferris State College and Central Michigan University to discuss student/counselor follow-up.

The Meet the Grads Open House was held just prior to Christmas with approximately 35 former graduates meeting with juniors and seniors to discuss their college experiences.

The counselors attended several workshops regarding financial aid and college testing programs.

Counseling at the middle school for the 1985-86 school year took on additional emphasis in the area of career exploration and educational planning for the students' future.

Middle school personal counseling has been expanded based upon increased need. A great number of community resources were utilized including the local 4-H program offered through Michigan State University, mental health and the Youth Services Bureau.

LIBRARIES

Library volumes per student ratio and total circulation:

High School 23.13 volumes per student, circulation of 9,341

Middle School 21.78 volumes per student, circulation of 5,000.

Grayling Elementary 11.5 volumes per student, circulation of 17,475.

Frederic Elementary 10 volumes per student, circulation of 7,806.

The district completed the second year of a three year plan to upgrade science materials available in the Grayling Elementary library.

STUDENT TEACHER RATIO

High School 25.5 students per classroom teacher

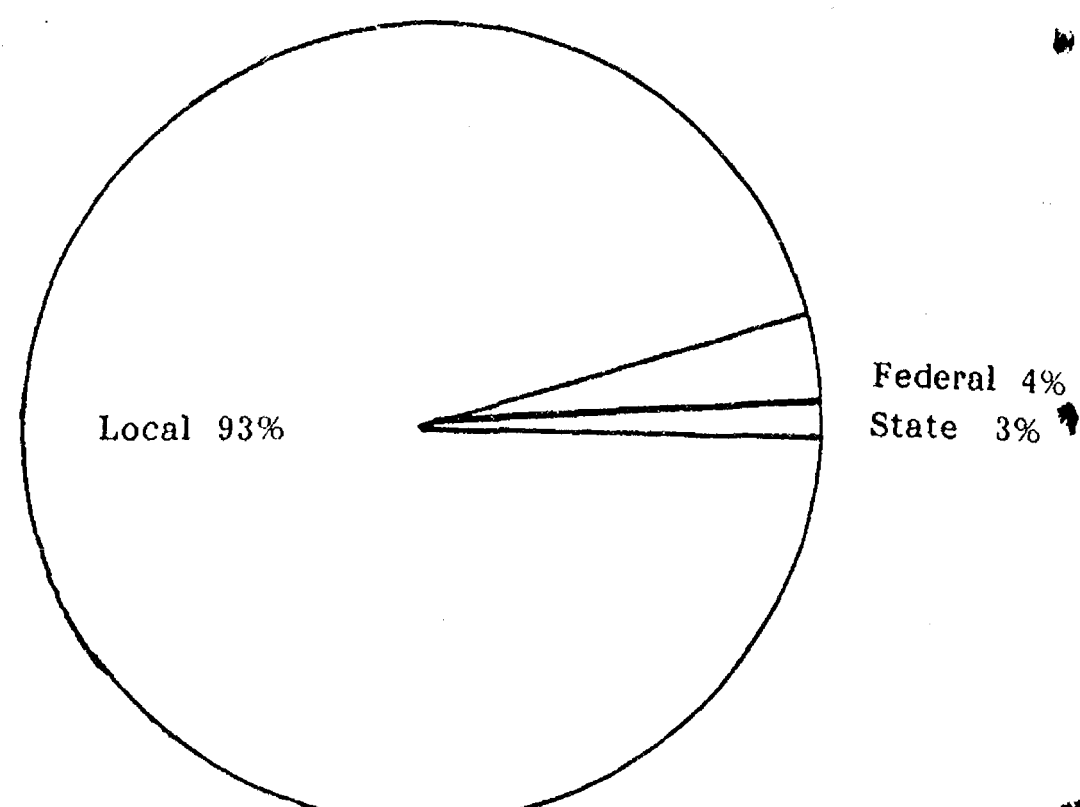
Middle School 25.3 students per classroom teacher

Grayling Elementary 27.4 students per classroom teacher

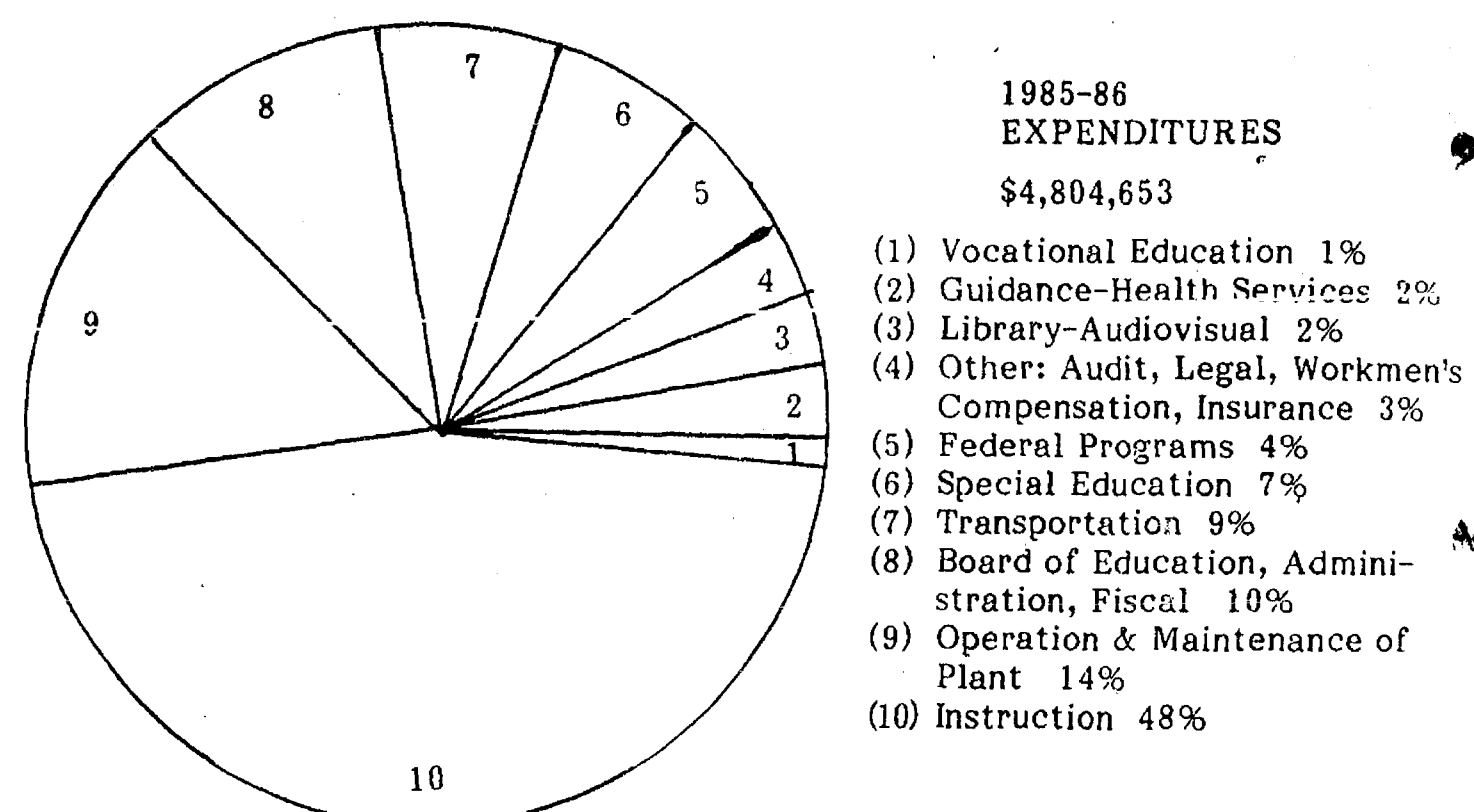
Frederic Elementary 25.2 students per classroom teacher

Financial Report

1985-86
REVENUES
\$4,913,719



1984-85 per pupil expense \$2456
1984-85 state per pupil operating expense \$2660



1985-86
EXPENDITURES
\$4,804,653

Academic Honors

Tina Meldrum and Mitzi Montoya were co-valedictorians with straight A grade point averages of 4.00.

Beth Bedard was salutatorian with a grade point average of 3.975.

Thirty-one (30%) members of the senior class are graduating with at least a B average (3.0 or better).

Twenty-two high school students were inducted into the National Honorary Society this year bringing the total membership to 38.

Sixty-one (16%) middle school students earned all A's and B's throughout the year. Eight eighth grade students have been on the honor roll every marking period during their three years at the middle school.

Competition was fierce in this year's middle school spelldown but once again Jennifer Naour, an eighth grade student, won the competition. She has been middle school champion for three consecutive years. She advanced to the regional competition in Wolverine where she placed 2nd and also represented our middle school in the C.O.O.R. area spelling competition.

Middle School and High School Honor Rolls are based upon a 3.0 or B average.

The Grayling Elementary School gives scholastic Award pins to students with a B+ average for the first and second semesters combined.

PRESIDENTIAL ACADEMIC FITNESS AWARDS

The district participates fully in the Presidential Academic Fitness Awards Program. Awards are presented to qualifying students in the exit grade at each of the district's four buildings.

At the Grayling Elementary, fourth and fifth grade students must have attained a B+ average throughout elementary school and scored at or above the 80th percentile on the California Achievement Test. 8 students received the award this year.

At the Frederic Elementary, fifth grades students must have attained a B+ average for the fifth grade and scored at or above the 80th percentile on the California Achievement Test. 11 students received the award this year.

At the Middle School, eighth grade students must have attained a B+ average throughout the three years of middle school and scored at or above the 80th percentile on the California Achievement Test. 21 students received the award this year.

At the High School, seniors must have attained a 3.5 grade point average throughout four years of high school and scored at or above the 80th percentile on the ACT (American College Testing Program). 8 seniors received the award this year.



Crawford School 1985 - Report To The

TESTING

All students in grades 1-8 take the California Achievement Test (CAT) measuring verbal and computational skills in late March. This years scores showed greater gain than in any of the past five years. The gains were attributed to new textbook series in reading and language arts K-8, recently developed K-12 articulated curriculum in all areas and carefully developed strategies designed to improve student test taking skills.

The Michigan Educational Assessment Test (MEAP) is given annually in September to all students in grades 4, 7 and 10 measuring reading and mathematics skills. Scores were well above (8 percentage points or more) state averages at the high school with 90.4% passing the reading portion and 76% passing the math portion. Scores at the elementary level were at state average levels. Both the high school and Grayling Elementary were honored by the State of Michigan for having more than 75% of the students pass both sections of the test. 11 fourth grade students, 3 seventh grade students and 18 tenth grade students scored 100% on both sections of the test.

Tenth grade students not achieving a score of at least 75% in reading and math on the MEAP are required to take remedial classes until such a score is achieved.

Qualifying middle school students participate in the Midwest Talent Search by taking the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), the same test taken by high school students as a college entrance exam. Six students scored well enough to receive scholarships for summer educational experiences on college campuses. This summer students will take coursework at Kirtland Community College.

College bound juniors take the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test/Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test. As a result of their exceptional scores, seniors Chris McLaughlin and Kevin Reynolds were named National Merit Commended Scholars.

Board of Education

The Board has adhered to their adopted five year plan in developing annual priority goals. The five year plan is annually reviewed and revised based upon needs and accomplishments.

A high degree of priority has been placed upon quality custodial and maintenance operations. Last October the Board adopted an action plan based upon the recommendations of a maintenance and custodial advisory committee commissioned by the Board in June of 1985. The committee worked during the summer reviewing district operations. The plan resulted in new definitions of supervisory roles, changes in hours and assignments for some personnel, the blurring of custodial and maintenance designations, improved controls, improved communications, improved summer outdoor maintenance and an increased interest on the part of the Board. District maintenance and custodial operations are strong and district buildings are in excellent condition.

The district calendar has been distributed throughout the community with information vital to parents and students regarding school processes, programs and policies and with a complete schedule of all school events for the year. The entire community uses the calendar as community events are being scheduled without conflict with school events. The 1986-87 calendar will be mailed to parents and distributed within the community during the last week of July. The 1984-85 calendar was recognized by the National School Public Relations Association with its Golden Achievement Award in April 1985.

MIDDLE SCHOOL RENOVATION

In September of 1985, the community passed a bond issue to fund a thorough renovation of the 1916 middle school and 1955 gymnasium and an addition to link the two buildings. Following eight months of planning, work will begin in late June. The 12,000 square foot addition will include a cafeteria and kitchen, a new band room and office space. In the old building, floors will be removed to the joists and covered with sheeting and concrete, non bearing walls will be removed and the interior space will be redesigned, all windows and the roof will be replaced, the heating and ventilating systems will be completely

replaced, all new wall treatments will be installed, new ceilings and lighting and acoustical floor coverings will be installed, the exterior will be repaired and improved, and many new furnishings will be installed. In the gym, the roof will be restructured and reroofed, heating and ventilating will be replaced, all windows will be removed and the stage will be converted to a lobby. Work is scheduled for completion by the summer of 1987.

GRAYLING ELEMENTARY CONSTRUCTION

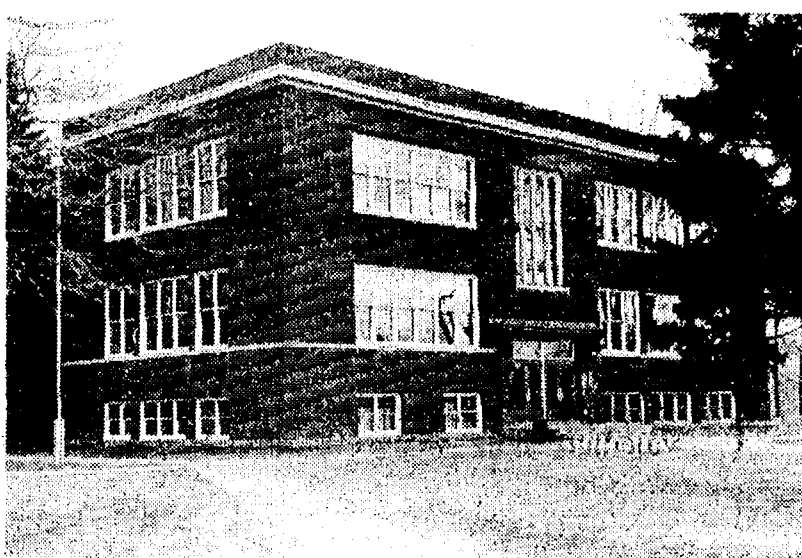
Funded by the September bond issue, additional space is being added to the Grayling Elementary School. Five additional classrooms including two for special education and a new adequately sized library with storage is being constructed by enclosing courtyards. A portion of the roof is being restructured for increased snow load and a new membrane and insulation is being installed over the entire roof. A new boiler is also being installed. The additional classrooms and the provision for 5th grade students in the renovated middle school will relieve the overcrowding at the elementary level and allow discontinuation of the use of portable classrooms. Construction will be completed in time for the opening of school this fall.

BUS GARAGE

Funded by the September bond issue, a new bus garage is being constructed next to the bus lot at the high school site. The new facility will allow buses to be serviced at the same site where they are stored and will provide adequate space for the district exemplary bus maintenance and rehabilitation program. Construction will be complete by the end of July.

RELOCATION

During renovation of the middle school, students in grades 6-8 will be relocated for the 1986-87 school year. Sixth grade students will be housed at the Grayling Elementary School and seventh and eighth grade students will be housed at the high school. Complete plans and details are outlined in a pamphlet entitled "A Year in Transition" available in the school central office. A copy was mailed to parents of all students.



Athletics

34% of the high school students (187) participated in at least one interscholastic sport: 24% of the girls and 43% of the boys.

Grayling High School was once again selected as a Michigan High School Athletic Association tournament site. We proudly hosted the 1985 Class C Girls Basketball District, Class D Girls Basketball Regional, Class D Boys Basketball Regional and the Class C Boys Baseball District.

A total of 203 interscholastic contests were held home and away for Viking Athletic teams this school year.

In Volleyball the team finished 2nd in the Michigan Huron Shores league. They also recorded 3 second place finishes in tournament action. The girls finished their season with an overall record of 25 wins, 9 losses. Three girls, Shelly Denton, Piper Ostrowski and Kathy Partin were honored from this year's team as M.V.P. in the conference and in tournaments.

The Boys ski team finished 3rd in the conference and 4th in the regionals (out of 19 teams). The Girls team finished 4th in the conference and 4th in the regionals.

The Wrestling team, made up mostly of freshmen and sophomores, placed 6th of 25 in the regional meet and sent three wrestlers, Ward Jones, Robert Johnson and Buck Monforton to the State Meet. Ward Jones at 145 lbs. was Conference Champion.

Sophomore pitcher-left fielder Jeff Palmer batted .400 for the baseball team.

Senior Michelle Moore qualified for the State track meet in the 3200 meter and 1600 meter events. In basketball she was third in the conference in scoring.

40% (155) of all middle school 7th and 8th grade students participated in interscholastic sports.

The 7th grade boys basketball team was undefeated in 12 regular season games. They ended the year with 2 victories to win the 7th grade Houghton Lake Tournament championship.

Brian Sprague, Frankie Wildfong, and Eric Breitfield were undefeated in middle school wrestling this year.



Computers — Mathematics — Science —

COMPUTERS

55 computers are in student use in district schools for an average of 13.75 per school compared to the national average of 8.2. This works out to 34.5 students per computer district wide as compared to the national average of 63.5 students per computer.

Every elementary school classroom has access to a computer for 50% of all class time.

In the Middle School computer literacy block, students learn machine operations, beginning word processing, beginning LOGO, keyboarding and data bases. In programming classes, seventh and eighth grade students mastered over half of the objectives required for high school Computer Programming I. 93% of all eighth grade students have completed their high school computer science requirements by meeting all adopted objectives during 7th and 8th grade computer classes.

Approximately 750 high school and adult education students have completed at least one computer course during the past three years.

During the past three school years the high school computer laboratory has had 62,400 student hours of use including regular school courses, after school enrichment and adult education.



Did You Know That . . .

The Grayling Elementary Second Grade Students held their Annual Balloon Launch on April 9, 1986. The second graders each released a balloon with a card attached asking that the person finding it return it to them at school with information as to where and when it was found. This year information was received on 12 balloons from Michigan, Ohio and Ontario.

In the middle school "Jump for Heart" program, approximately 50 students were involved in jumping rope, collecting money and helping to organize the event. Over \$644.00 was raised and donated to the American Heart Association. The money raised earned Grayling Middle School a blood pressure kit for use in the science/health/physical education classes.

The Middle School "Student of the Month" program recognized over 130 students for their citizenship, effort, manners, dependability and positive attitude. The program was developed as an ongoing reinforcement to improve positive school climate. McDonald's of Grayling provided a free lunch to the students who were selected by the committee for the month.

The eighth grade girls took their annual trip on May 29th and 30th. The girls went canoeing on the AuSable and also travelled to Mackinaw Island and spent the day exploring and enjoying the island.

A two day canoe trip for the 8th grade boys was initiated in 1971. Over the past fifteen years an average of seventy boys have annually enjoyed this outdoor experience. The boys gain many outdoor experiences and learn the value of cooperation, organization, self-discipline, responsibility, independence and respect for the river and nature.

All Kindergarten, Primary Room and 1st grade students participated in the B.A.B.E.S. program conducted by personnel from Community, Family and Children's Services. B.A.B.E.S. is an alcohol awareness program.

POST SECONDARY EDUCATION

Local organizations granted over \$11,000 in scholarships to this year's graduating seniors.

Over \$20,000 was granted to this year's graduating seniors in State of Michigan and individual college scholarships with most of them being renewable each year.

Out of a graduating class of 104 seniors, 29 students have been enrolled for this fall in four year colleges and universities, 9 in two year colleges and vocational schools and 11 have enlisted in the armed services.

Thirty high school juniors and seniors visited Michigan State University and 25 visited Ferris State College this spring.

Over 30 high school juniors and seniors attended college night at Kirtland Community College.

In January the counseling department held a financial aid workshop for college bound students and parents.

Five high school students attended Kirtland Community College under the college dual enrollment program.

Throughout the year over 35 college representatives and vocational school representatives visited the high school and were available to students through the counseling office. Five branches of the Armed Services also made regular visitations.

VOCATIONAL & CAREER EDUCATION

38 (15%) juniors and seniors received a year of training (10 hours per week) in a state approved vocational education program: building trades, auto service, cosmetology, machine shop, nursing assistant, retail marketing and sales, electronics and food service.

SCIENCE

The third annual all district science fair was held in the middle school gym with 132 student entries displayed. Over 500 persons attended the fair.

242 (44%) high school students completed a year of higher order science (Biology, Chemistry - 1st or 2nd year, Physics and Physiology).

MATHEMATICS

209 (38%) high school students completed a year of higher order mathematics (Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry and Calculus).

86 middle school students completed a year of Algebra or Pre-Algebra.

Two 8th grade students participated in the Shared Time Academic program through the C.O.O.R. Intermediate school District. Students qualifying through the Midwest Talent Search took at least one full year of high school algebra at Kirtland Community College with students from other local middle schools. The class met Tuesdays and Thursdays for 2½ hours throughout the school year. David Bentley completed two full years of high school algebra.

The elementary mathematics committee completed the selection process for a new K-5 mathematics textbook. Following a thorough review of textbooks in the field, D.C. Heath materials were recommended and formally adopted by the Board of Education. The new series will be purchased for the start of the school year this fall.

PRIMARY ROOM & DEVELOPMENTAL KINDERGARTEN

The Frederic Elementary School implemented and housed the primary room for the district. This pilot program is designed to continue developing readiness skills in: Math, Reading, Language, and in all motor areas. This program is available to students that were in the Developmental Kindergarten and to Kindergarten students that are in need of strengthening academic, motor, or social skills before entering first grade. The Developmental Kindergarten gives students judged not ready for Kindergarten a successful first school experience while emphasizing those developmental fine and gross motor skills necessary for academic readiness.

EXPERIENCES IN GOVERNMENT

Students in required government classes must attend at least three different local governmental meetings each. Over 300 students attended meetings.

50 high school students participated in extra curricular governmental programs this year.

In cooperation with Kiwanis, sophomore Leslie Fraser attended the Hugh O'Brian Leadership Seminar at Central Michigan University.

Through the local American Legion, Rotary and Kiwanis, Jeff McLaughlin, Wayne Casler and Tom Bacon will attend Boys State at Michigan State University. Erin Hickey, Dawn Hulbert and Colette Petrosky will attend Girls State at Central Michigan University.

14 members of the Youth in Government Club and sponsor Howard Lehti participated in the April 30 - May 3 Youth in Government program in Lansing where legislative sessions were held in the House and Senate chambers as well as court sessions in the Supreme Court building.

Collette Petrosky participated in the Operation Bentley governmental simulation program at Olivet College.

Advanced studies student Kim McDonough gave United Way Campaign speeches to local service organizations.

VOLUNTEERS

The district has 105 active volunteers who volunteered 11,926 hours of time this school year providing individualized attention for students in classrooms, aiding teachers with special school events and activities and helping with library and media services.

The 4-H Cooperative Extension Service and Crawford County Sheriff's Department once again conducted a nine week program for fifth grade students on substance abuse.

The Junior Deputy Program for our 4th graders completed its 12th year. The program covers areas of public service, substance abuse, first aid, and water, gun, snowmobile and fire safety.

TRANSPORTATION

Crawford AuSable buses traveled a distance of over 287,380 miles throughout the 464 square mile district on 12 regular routes, 4 double runs and 7 Kindergarten runs. This calculates to an average of 160 miles for every student in the district.

The regular plan of bus replacement was continued this year with the purchase of two new 78 passenger diesel engine buses. The 78 passenger buses replace 66 passenger models. The diesel buses are averaging 10 miles per gallon as compared to 5 miles per gallon for regular gasoline engine buses.

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Fine Arts

The musical "Half a Sixpence", as well as "The Haunting of Hill House" and "Horror High" gave over 75 students production experience and the opportunity to improve their theatre skills.

Twenty high school students participated in Individual Speech Events (Forensics) competition in five invitational tournaments as well as state sponsored competition. 34 awards were won by individuals in the invitational tournaments.

Kim McDonough (11th grade) placed 1st in extemporaneous speaking in district forensics competition.

Stephanie Hindmarsh (12th grade) placed 1st in dramatic interpretation in regional forensics competition and represented the high school in state competition.

The Elementary Select Choir performed for community events throughout the year.

The district band program was greatly improved as the Board implemented all major recommendations made by the instrumental music program review committee. The Board demonstrated its commitment to building an excellent program by making the band director's position full time in instrumental music and implementing a fifth grade band program. The highlight of the year saw both the high school and middle school bands return to district festival competition for the first time in five years. Both bands earned II's with the high school band missing a I rating by the narrowest possible margin. The community is looking with excitement to seeing the band march in summer parades and to continued growth next year.

The Viking Band Boosters were organized this year and provided invaluable support for the bands.

Three district band concerts were performed to standing room only crowds.

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Announce Marriage

Miss Diana Lynn Savallisch and Thomas Jacob Swindler were married on Saturday, June 14, 1986 in Donalson, Georgia. Their attendants were Miss Wendy Savallisch and Mr. Roger Joyner.

Diana is the daughter of William E. Savallisch, Sr. of Mesa, Arizona, and Charlene Savallisch of Pontiac, Michigan (formerly of Grayling), and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Grayling, and was a 1980 graduate of Grayling High School.

Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Swindler of Orlando, Florida.

There will be a casual lawn reception for Diana and Tom on July 5th, 1986 from 3:00 p.m. until 7 at her mother's home at 49-C Street, Pontiac, Mobile Home Park off Walton Blvd. and Joslyn Avenue.

All of Diana's family and friends in the Grayling area are cordially invited to attend.

The couple will be residing at 1612 Moselle Avenue, Orlando, Fla. 32807 after July 6th.

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Dance Group To Perform Montage / Wizard of Oz

This Friday and Saturday in Joseph Stripe Auditorium, students of the Creative Dance Academy will perform Montage/Wizard of Oz. This program is the ninth annual recital presented by Louise Tournaud, Creative director of the Academy. Ms. Tournaud has choreographed full-length story

ballets for her recitals for the past several years. An enormous amount of work is involved in producing this type of a program, but Ms. Tournaud and her students feel the rewards are worth it.

The Wizard of Oz features munchkins, witches, and the Emerald City, as well as the main characters of Dorothy, Toto, Tinman, Scarecrow, the Cowardly Lion, and, of course, Oz. The title role of the Wizard is danced by Necia Gilbert. Necia is a senior this year and has been a student of Ms. Tournaud for 9 years. The witches are played by Lori Dean and Jini Hindmarsh, "good" and "bad" respectively.

The dancers will be wearing costumes that are both imaginative and unique. Many are handmade by Sue Louchart, steamstress and assistant costumer to Ms. Hayes for several years. Music is taken from the movie, the Wizard of Oz.

Montage is a kaleidoscope of students, costumes and a variety of music and dance styles. From the tiny tots to adult dancers, everyone looks forward to this exciting culmination of a year of hard work. You will see bunnies and strawberry shortcakes as well as skilled advanced dancers in modern jazz, ballet, and tap. The finale with all dancers on stage is truly a sight to see.

Bring yourself and your children to this exciting performance on June 27th and 28th at 7:00 p.m., Grayling High School. Don't miss it!

Hospice of Crawford Co.

Crawford County will soon have a Hospice. Doctors, Social Workers, Commission on Aging and members of the community are all working together to assure residents of Crawford County that a well run, viable Hospice program exists.

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Resource Review

by Bruce Patrick
Conservation Officer

One of the first things that struck me when I transferred into Northern Michigan in 1979 was the news coverage given to the Dept. of Natural Resources. I had been stationed in the "Thumb" and was exposed to various media which focused around metropolitan areas, i.e. Flint, Saginaw, Bay City. These urban areas have their own concerns and only if there was a major controversy of local interest did the TV news programs get involved with the DNR.

When I arrived here and began watching news programs I was amazed at the amount of time spent on resource stories. At that time, the controversy over native American commercial fishing was raging. Since then everything from forest fires to landfills and from hunting seasons to 'No-Kill' has made the news. In fact hardly a night goes by when the DNR is not mentioned on the local news program. Newspapers also carry DNR related articles in almost every issue.

I knew that the DNR directly effects more Michigan residents than any other state department, but I was amazed at the coverage the agency receives. This points out to me that DNR programs and activities are of great concern to residents of northern Michigan and that DNR employees have a responsibility to keep those residents informed. That is one of the major reasons I write these articles. I keep hoping that someone will request information on particular subjects, but have yet to receive any such request. If you have questions, please submit them through this paper or to the DNR Field Office, Box 507, Grayling, 49738.

Nursing Test At Kirtland

Kirtland Community College will be offering the National League for Nursing's Practical Nursing Test on Friday, July 11, 1986, at 9 a.m. A math and English pre-test will also be given.

Successful completion of these tests is one of the requirements to enter Kirtland's Practical Nursing Program. Persons interested in taking the tests should register by calling the college from June 30 to July 3 and July 7, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Registration is limited to 40 persons. Cost for the exams is \$15.

For further information, or to register for the tests, contact Kirtland's Student Services Office at 517-275-5121, extension 251.

OPEN NOMINATIONS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS OF THE YEAR

Nominations for Senior Representatives are now being accepted. Commission on Aging wants both a male and female representative to make appearances at the Milltown Festival; Crawford County Fair; Winter Carnival; 4th of July Parade and other community and social activities through the year. Many thanks go out to our "retiring" Senior Representatives Helen Leykauf and Matt Bidvia. We are proud to have had such fine, outstanding representatives!



Helen Leykauf

Matt Bidvia

Helen was a summer resident of the Grayling area for 35 years before moving here permanently 9 years ago. She was introduced to the area by her husband John, who was a familiar deer hunter here for many years.

Helen is very active in the community. Currently, she is a Commission on Aging board member, COA appointed member of the RSVP Advisory Council, and a regular RSVP volunteer at both the COA office and Mercy Hospital, besides volunteering where ever else she is needed. Helen is also a member of the Disabled American Veterans, and for the past 3 years has been their Junior Vice Commander.

Helen says she enjoys her work, and that she especially likes living in the Grayling area.

Matt is a life-long resident of Grayling, having moved here at the age of 2 years from Lewiston. Matt's family were pioneers in the Finnish settlement in Grayling in 1910, and he has many fond memories of the Finnish steam baths and social gatherings.

Matt and his wife, Ruth Helen, (she passed away 8 years ago) had one child, a daughter, Susan. He is also very proud of his 2 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Matt was self-employed in the vending machine business for 26 years, and after his "retirement", served on the Crawford County Board of Commissioners for 6 years. He now keeps on top of events through his daily coffee meetings with other retirees at local establishments.

Nomination forms for the '86-'87 COA Senior Representative may be found elsewhere in this paper. An impartial panel of community leaders will review all nomination entries and will make the selection. Nominations will be accepted until July 14th, 1986. The selection will be announced on July 24th at the Milltown Ice Cream Social and Dance.

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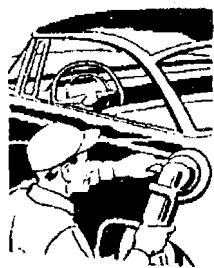
Juell enjoys hunting as a hobby. To show our appreciation, Juell has been awarded a \$25.00 gift certificate for dinner at the Arrowhead Inn of Grayling.



MURDICK'S FAMOUS FUDGE — Dianne Krause, owner of Murdick's Fudge in Grayling, is joined by her parents Al and Arletta MacKenzie at recent ribbon-cutting ceremonies at the store located in the Mercantile Mall in downtown Grayling. Jerome Murdick, the grandfather of Dianne Krause, started the first Murdick's Fudge. Krause's relatives own four Murdick's Fudge stores in Traverse City, one in Charlevoix, and one in Mackinaw City. At the Grayling store, ten kinds of fudge are offered including the popular chocolate walnut. Murdick's is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday - Saturday and 12 noon to 6 p.m. Sunday.

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Substance Abuse Meeting July 2

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On Dean's List

Sault Ste. Marie - David J. Shires of Grayling has been named to the Lake Superior State College dean's list for the recently completed spring term. It is the third consecutive term that Shires has been on the list.

Students named to the dean's list must have earned a 3.5 grade point average or better on a 4.0 scale.



Look to the Label

BY Gail Edwards
Extension Home Economist

Taking time to read labels on clothes and household textiles can help provide the facts you need to make decisions about them.

Some labels are required by law and some are provided voluntarily by manufacturers. Here are some facts about labels that consumers need to know.

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Strolling

Around Town

By Fay

One of the nicest things to happen on our own Ingham Street at the corner of Peninsular Avenue is the repainting and general cleanup of the old "Hemmingsen" house on that corner. We don't know the owners but we'd like to congratulate them for making it look so nice with the coat of pale gray paint.

The Halls on Maple Street have their planters full of flowers again, the Whales have flowers around the fenced-in yard, the depot has planters of flowers and how nice to see that grass always mowed down along the railroad tracks next to the depot.

On the other end of town, the George Hiltons have a nice vegetable and flower garden started and Mike Brady's corn is looking good as usual. Wargo's Milltown Manor has the planter full of flowers and Mrs. Gorney has flowers on the porch.

We've promised to stroll at the lake in the near future. We'd like to thank people who are calling and bringing nice things to our attention, keep it up.

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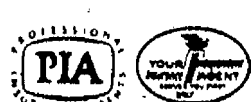
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Wright Attends N. D. Institute

Terry Wright, Executive Director of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, recently completed the Institute for Organization Management at the University of Notre Dame. Over 300 voluntary organization executives from all over the country participated in this professional development program.

During the five-day session, participants spent 27 classroom hours in the Institute course of study, which is designed to assist voluntary organization executives improve the knowledge and skills necessary to enhance the effectiveness of their organization. The Institute curriculum includes coursework in management philosophy, interpersonal processes, government, law and organization structure; as well as in more contemporary issues such as economic and environmental concerns. Each participant may attend progressive levels of the program throughout his/her professional career.

Duley Receives MD Degree

Patricia Duley, of Grayling, received her Doctor of Medicine degree from the Wayne State University School of Medicine. Commencement exercises were held June 3rd for 256 graduates.

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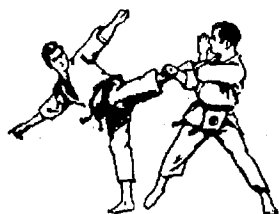
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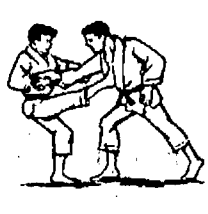
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RSVP Profile: Effie Mae Brazas



By Pete Meze

It is fitting and certainly appropriate that the talented and vivacious Effie Mae Brazas should have been selected to help observe and celebrate the 13th Annual Retired Senior Volunteer Program of the Crawford and Roscommon counties being held at the Grayling Holiday Inn, Saturday, June 21st.

She has been a favorite of the community since 1972 when she moved to the area, entertaining seniors with her skillful manipulation of the piano keyboard. With her accompanist Walt Pastalewicz, these two performers should prove to be one of the highlights of the evening.

Effie Mae (as she likes to be called) came by her artistic gift on the piano through her grandfather who was professor of Music at world-renowned Trinity College in Dublin, Ireland. Recalls Effie Mae, "from early childhood musical sessions in our home were the norm."

At the age of four, Effie Mae surprised her family on sitting down to the piano and playing "Bluebells of Scotland" without any previous instruction. Her amazed parents, particularly the mother, took our young lass to a piano teacher to get some professional instruction. The teacher upon hearing Effie Mae play, advised the mother that the daughter had too much talent to be hindered by technical training. The teacher's diagnosis has been borne out.

While Effie Mae has never had formal training her ability to pick up a melody or tune upon hearing it once has made it possible for her to play any type of music, from classical to jazz and anything in between.

By the age of 12 she was so well advanced that she performed on the violin in an Old Man's Band.

After graduating from Northwestern High School in Detroit, she attended Wayne State University taking a General Education course, picking up a teaching certificate with psychology one of her majors. Her great love for music negated her educational pursuits as she began a 25-year career with the Cranbrook Academy of Arts and Crafts in Bloomfield Hills serving in various capacities as a writer, secretary and consultant. In later years she edited the in-house Cranbrook Press.

After 29 years of a happy marriage her husband passed away after a seven year battle with cancer. Following a suitable period of mourning Effie Mae returned to her great love, the piano, to uplift the spirits of her many friends in the Houghton Lake area.

Effie Mae gets her biggest thrills these days when life piano playing put new life and zest to her beloved seniors in the Houghton Lake area.

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The proposed projects will provide loan funds through the Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation and Community Development office to bring homes owned by low and moderate income families up to a minimum of HUD Sec. 8 Existing home standards.

Comments will be accepted at the Crawford County Courthouse in the Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation and Community Development office between 8:30 a.m. and noon or between 1:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The courthouse is located in downtown Grayling at the south end of Michigan Avenue. Anyone wishing to telephone in comments may do so during the same times at 517/348-2841, ext. 253. Comments will be accepted until July 1, 1986.

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Taking Our Leave

Death itself may be an unknown, but separation and loss is a harsh reality for both those who must go and those who must stay. We have a lifetime of thoughts, feelings and relationships behind us when we eventually take our leave. Our experiences with separation and all our feelings for each other come to the fore in our last phase of life. There may be anxiety and despair, as there may be a new found sense of intimacy and completion.

An appropriate death is the kind of death that the person would have chosen for himself, given the option. He is allowed to depart from life in a manner consistent with his own values and style. An "appropriated" death, on the other hand, would have meant that his death had been taken away from him by force of circumstance.

Most deaths today occur in some kind of institutional setting. More than four out of every five people who die in old age spend their last days in a hospital, nursing home or other type of institution. Their lives tend to become part of the institution's workings rather than a continued expression of their own distinctive patterns.

Terminal illness often brings about a loss of function and strength which intensifies the dependence on the sociophysical environment. It has been said that "we die the death of our diseases," referring to the specific physical and psychological changes caused by diseases such as kidney failure, coronary disease, pneumonia, lung cancer, and so on. But we also die the death that follows most naturally the contours of the environment.

The old person's death may be "appropriated" from him outside institutional walls as well. Some doctors treat diseases yet bypass the individual. Information about his condition is shared only with one or two family members. Decisions are made with little or no consultation and actions are carried out with a minimum of preparation and explanation. In taking away the responsibility, credibility and control of the old person himself, we also set up a situation in which much of his life has become the property of others long before the process of dying begins. The terminally ill person deserves to live and die as he himself would choose.

Simple though it may seem, this concept runs counter to much in our social and health care network. It is easier to treat "diseases" and to look after "geriatric patients" than to work intimately with each person's individual needs as a person.

Maude Rice, M.S.W.
North Central Community Mental Health

Meeting Notice

Regular meeting of the North Central Area Chapter #19, State Employee Retirees Association, will be held Tuesday, July 1, 1986, at the Houghton Lake Community Center, beginning at 2 p.m.

A representative from the Michigan State Housing Development Authority is scheduled to speak on low interest loans for home improvements. All retired State employees and their spouses are encouraged to attend.

Wieland Receives Oakland Degree

Sheryl Wieland, of Grayling, was among 699 students receiving degrees in June 7th Oakland University commencement exercises. Wieland earned a bachelor of science degree in nursing.

Denton Earns MSU Degree

Kent Denton, of Grayling, was among 3,309 students receiving degrees from Michigan State University June 5. Denton earned a bachelor of arts degree in interior design.

Notice of Annual Township Meeting

Notice is hereby given, that the next Annual Meeting of the Electors of the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, will be held at the Grayling Township Offices, M-72 West Plaza, Grayling, Mi 49738.

Beginning at 1:00 p.m., on Saturday, June 28, 1986

At such time in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, budgets covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township shall be submitted for consideration. Copies of the budgets proposed for adoption are available in the Township Office.

Monica S. Ashton
Grayling Township Clerk

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL BE AT MY OFFICE:

Monday, July 7, 1986 — Last Day

From 9 o'clock a.m. until 5 o'clock p.m.

The 30th day preceding said Election

For the purposes of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP or CITY as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

In addition to the nomination and election of candidates for various offices, the following proposition(s) (if any) will be voted on:

County Wide Recreation Millage

Shall the County of Crawford levy a 1/4 mill tax for a period of two (2) years on property within the territorial limits of Crawford County for the purpose of continuing to operate Hanson Hills during the years 1987 and 1988.

DATED 24th DAY OF JUNE 1986.

LOCATION FOR REGISTERING TO VOTE

Monica Ashton, Clerk, Grayling Twp. — In Twp. office, 348-4361

Jerry Morford, Clerk, City of Grayling — City Office, 348-2131

Mildred Harmer, Clerk, Frederic Twp. — at Town Hall, 348-8778

Helen Spencer, Clerk, Lovells Twp. — at Township Hall 9:00 to 5:00, 348-9557

Susan Keene, Clerk, Maple Forest Twp. — at Township Hall, Sherman Rd., 348-9801

Mary M. Mollon, Clerk, South Branch Twp. — at Town Hall, 275-8232

Florence Nelson, Clerk, Beaver Creek Twp. — at Town Hall 9:00 to 2:00, at Home 2:00 to 5:00, 275-5586



Engagement



Robert Carl Nimke of Grayling and Michelle Renee Christensen of Higgins Lake wish to announce their engagement.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Nimke of Yerington, Nevada. Renee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Christensen of Higgins Lake.

An August 18, 1986 wedding is planned.

ABWA HOLDS MEETING AT HANSON HILLS

The Grayling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association held their monthly meeting at Hanson Hills on June 17th. Pizza and salad were enjoyed by members and guests.

Recent scholarship recipients were the evening's guest speakers. Tina Meldrum and Amy Wakeley detailed their plans for continuing education. Tina will be attending the University of Michigan. She plans to become a lawyer. Her dream is to be an ambassador. Tina is spending six weeks in Germany this summer as a foreign exchange student. Amy will attend North Central Michigan College for a career in elementary education. Her career choice is based on previous experience at the Crawford AuSable Day Care Center. She enjoys working with children. The Scholarship Committee will keep in touch with Amy and Tina during their college years.

Margo Rembowski received scholarship monies to attend the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp for two weeks. She is in the high school band and is looking forward to the professional training which will be provided at the camp. Chapter member Maxine Geiss gave the vocational talk. Maxine works at the Keyport Clinic as a medical secretary.

The Ways and Means Committee has added \$400 to the scholarship fund, earned through serving weekend refreshments at the 1-75 rest stop south of Grayling.

A new ABWA chapter is planned for the Kalkaska area. Floats have been designed for the 4th of July and Milltown Festival Parades. Future meeting plans include a mystery trip in August. The September meeting will tie in with national recognition of women's achievements.

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

Tag Day For Mercy Auxillary

The smiling ladies wearing red coats, all members of Mercy Hospital's Auxillary, will be on the streets of Grayling Thursday, July 3 during their annual "Tag Day" fund raising event. Anyone who donates to the Mercy Hospital Auxillary during this day will receive a hand-made flower, made by members of the Auxillary. All proceeds benefit your community hospital...Mercy Hospital, Grayling.

"Our goal is to raise over \$1,000 during Tag Day," said Mercy Auxillary President Shirley Schonhoff. "This year we hope our community will continue to support our efforts and give generously."

So far this year the Mercy Auxillary has donated \$12,500 to the hospital for critically needed equipment purchases. Most recently, the Auxillary presented Mercy Hospital President and Chief Executive Officer Sister Mary Ellen Howard, RSM, with a check for \$6,000 to be used towards the purchase of a heart monitor in the recovery room. In February the Auxillary, through a \$6,500 donation, purchased three important medical instruments for the hospital. Included in that purchase were a \$1,379 rigid esophagoscope, a rigid bronchoscope costing \$2,206, and a hypo-hyper thermia blanket valued at \$4,735.

The recent heart monitor purchase was one of exceptional need in the hospital's recovery room. Currently there is only one heart monitor, and a portable monitor was used for back-up purposes. The monitor, costing \$7,100 is used for patients who are still under anesthesia following surgery, monitoring their heart rhythms. The Auxillary overwhelmingly realized the need for this piece of equipment, and pledged the additional \$1,100 to be donated within 90 days to ensure the purchase.

"We are so very thankful for the Auxillary's fund raising efforts," said Sister Mary Ellen Howard. "The purchase of needed medical equipment is both necessary and important in treatment of our patients here at Mercy Hospital."

So next week when you see an Auxilian, remember their efforts reach the many residents of Crawford and surrounding counties that seek health care at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Your donation is tax-deductible.

Daniels Den

Daniels Den will be presenting this Saturday Dave & Karen Ross. They will be entertaining us with a lot of new music they have written lately, and as always with their excellent music. Dave & Karen sing and play musical instruments to contemporary Christian music.

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PICTURED ABOVE is Wendy Kucharek working in the Grayling Elementary School library.

Wendy Kucharek has been with the school volunteer program for 4 years now. This year she has been keeping very busy on Tuesdays and Fridays working in the school library as a volunteer aide. And on Wednesdays she divided her mornings and afternoons between Carol Williams and Linda Loft as a volunteer teacher's aide. She is also one of our busy day aides; volunteers we call upon for special times such as picture days, kindergarten screening and helping on the yearbooks this year.

In her spare time Wendy teaches Sunday School kindergarten class at the Michelson Memorial Methodist Church; coaches J.V. and Varsity cheerleading; is a substitute mom for the COOP Nursery when needed, and has worked with the Cancer Society the past 4 years.

She loves ceramics and says she loves to read. In the summer she likes the outdoors and camping with her family. When asked about her volunteering in the school she said that she truly enjoys the elementary level best because the "kids keep you young". Also she added that others should become involved because you meet people, it gives you good insight as to what your children are doing in school. Wendy has two young sons at the Grayling Elementary.

Thanks Wendy, for all the time you gave to our schools and most of all for "caring and sharing".

Anyone interested in learning more about the Crawford AuSable Schools Volunteer Program for next fall, please call Mrs. Wolf at 348-7641.

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The Grayling Township Board will hold a public hearing on the 1986-87 Federal Revenue Sharing Funds at its Annual Meeting, June 28, 1986 at 1:00 p.m. in the Township Office, West M-72 Plaza, Grayling, MI.

Unused Federal Revenue Funds \$ None
 Estimated Federal Revenues \$ 12,500

Federal Revenue Sharing Funds are being proposed for the Fire Department. Written and oral comments on this budget or questions concerning the relationship of revenue sharing to the rest of the budget will be received. A copy of the budget proposed for adoption is available in the Township Office.
 Monica S. Ashton
 Grayling Township Clerk -19-26-

NOTICE OF ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

Notice is hereby given, that the next Annual Township Meeting of the Electors of the Township of Fred- eric, County of Crawford, State of Michigan will be held at their Township hall, 7564 Kelly Avenue, Fred- eric, Michigan beginning at 1:00 o'clock p.m. Eastern Standard Time, on Saturday, June 28, 1986.

At such time in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, budgets covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township shall be submitted for consideration on the:

General Fund, Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, Fire Fund and all other Funds.
 Mildred O. Harner
 Fredric Twp. Clerk -19-26-

Notice**South Branch Township STOPS "CLEAN-UPS"**

Due to misuse and increased cost it has become necessary to discontinue the holiday "clean-ups" at refuse transfer sites located at Pioneer Rd. and Mc- Masters Bridge. Also, residents are instructed to have their dump passes updated at the office.

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Contact Now For united Way Allocations

If your non-profit organization is interested in applying for 1986-87 funding from United Way, now is the time to contact Crawford County United Way Allocations Committee Chairperson Arlisle Gillespie at 348-2881.

Consideration for United Way funding will be given to any non-profit organization within Crawford County. The Allocations Committee is currently accepting applications from potential recipients, although applications must be received no later than July 1.

Last year several local groups received funding from the Crawford County United Way. Those non-profit groups included Community, Family and Children Services, Crawford AuSable Day Care Center, Crawford County 4-H, Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council, The Salvation Army, Sibs for Kids, and Youth Services Bureau. The annual United Way Campaign gets under way in October this year.

To apply for the funding, please contact Mrs. Gillespie or United Way Board President John Cherven at 348-2554, no later than July 1.

Mansfield Receives State Honor

Recently, Dennis Mansfield was awarded the "Outstanding Social Studies Student Award" at Grayling High School. This award was presented by Howard Lehti, GHS social studies chairperson, on behalf of the Michigan Council for the Social Studies. Awards of this nature were presented to only 35 students in the state. Dennis is a 1986 graduate of G.H.S.

Morford and Hutek Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

Ronda Morford and Dennis Hutek were united in marriage on June 14, 1986 in a double ring ceremony held at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church with Rev. Jeff Regan officiating.

Given in marriage by her parents, Jerry and Ann Morford of Grayling, Ronda wore a white gown accented with pink ribbons, featuring a high neck, long sleeves, and a Chapel length train. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and white carnations. The groom was escorted by his parents, Karen Hutek of Higgins Lake, and David Hutek, of Wyandotte, and wore a white tuxedo with tails.

Special music, a handbell solo, was provided by the bride's cousin, Noel Avery, of Texas. She was accompanied by pianist/organist Janet Dice.

Caroline Hejka, of Houghton Lake, served as the maid of honor, while Robin (Frederick) Bartlebaugh, of Mt. Clemens, and Erika Avery, a cousin of the bride from Texas, were bridesmaids. They all wore tea length pink lace dresses and carried sprays of white flowers and pink roses.

The best man was Timothy Thomson, of Grayling. Jonathan Bakus, of Higgins Lake, and Miller, of Grayling, served as groomsmen. Ushering for the occasion were Daniel Hutek, brother of the groom, and Louis Rioux, both of Grayling. The male attendants were all dressed in black tuxedos with tails.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Holiday Inn of Grayling.

Following a honeymoon trip to Virginia Beach, the newlyweds plan to reside in Higgins Lake.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- June 26, 1959—Queen Elizabeth opened Saint Lawrence Seaway.
- June 27, 1834—Cholera epidemic broke out in New York City.
- June 28, 1919—Treaty of Versailles officially ended World War I.
- June 29, 1950—Capital of Republic of Korea, Seoul, falls to invading North Korean forces.
- June 30, 1858—Joseph Heco became first Japanese to take American citizenship.
- July 1, 1863—Battle of Gettysburg begins.
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Something like soap was known around 2300 B.C... But instead of being used as a soap it was used to dress one's hair or apply as a medicament on wounds. Romans did not use soap when bathing but an instrument called strigel to scrape off the oils from their bodies. When the oil was removed so was the dirt. Cleopatra used essential oils in her bath, too, but no soap. One of the civilizations to recognize soap were the Arabs in the Arabian Desert then the Turks, who conquered them. The Vikings made soap, so did the Celts, who called soap saipo, from which our modern-day word is derived.

Soap began to appear in Britain around 1000 A.D. It was not until the thirteenth century that Marseilles emerged as the first great center of soapmaking, probably due to plentiful supply of Olive oil and barilla (a flesh plant whose ashes were used to make lye.) In this country, when all soap was homemade, folks leached their own lye by running water through wood or plant ashes. This type of soap made a soft soap instead of the bars we are familiar with today.

Nowadays, lye is made from a common salt solution. The salt is electrolytically transformed into lye. Actually the soap I make for my family does not suds well, but this, too, shall be remedied.

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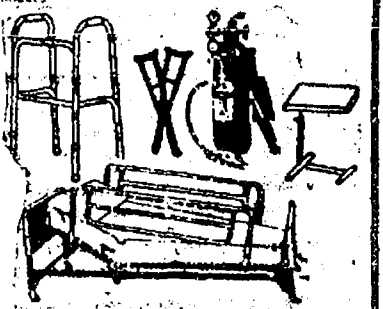
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Forecast Period: 6/29 - 7/5/86

- ARIES**
Mar. 21-Apr. 19
Professional advances seem to come with little or no effort on your part. Career activities are highlighted.
- TAURUS**
Apr. 20-May 20
Be alert to long term gains rather than momentary successes. Consider the feelings of those close to you.
- GEMINI**
May 21-June 20
You may find others too impulsive in spending. Good judgment is essential where the element of risk is involved.
- CANCER**
June 21-July 22
Partnership relations take an exciting new twist. Be flexible and ready to progress in an entirely different channel.
- LEO**
July 23-Aug. 22
Your special brand of electronic wizardry rescues a work detail from the brink of disaster.
- VIRGO**
Aug. 23-Sept. 22
It's vacation time. Enjoy the social scene. One who admires you tremendously is waiting to be recognized.
- LIBRA**
Sept. 23-Oct. 22
A major decision regarding how and where to set up camp is forthcoming, and there is a permanency indicated.
- SCORPIO**
Oct. 23-Nov. 21
Vocational matters are subject to change. The energetic pursuit of knowledge and practical information is emphasized.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov. 22-Dec. 21
Financial gain and acquisition of material possessions is indicated. Hang on to real estate holdings for future security.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec. 22-Jan. 19
Make your feelings and emotions work for you rather than against you. Upsets in relationships tend to be permanent.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan. 20-Feb. 18
Your best work is accomplished without fanfare or excitement. Test your ideas. How do they fit in future plans?
- PISCES**
Feb. 19-Mar. 20
Others look to you to take the leadership role in group or organizational affairs. Friends spur you to action.

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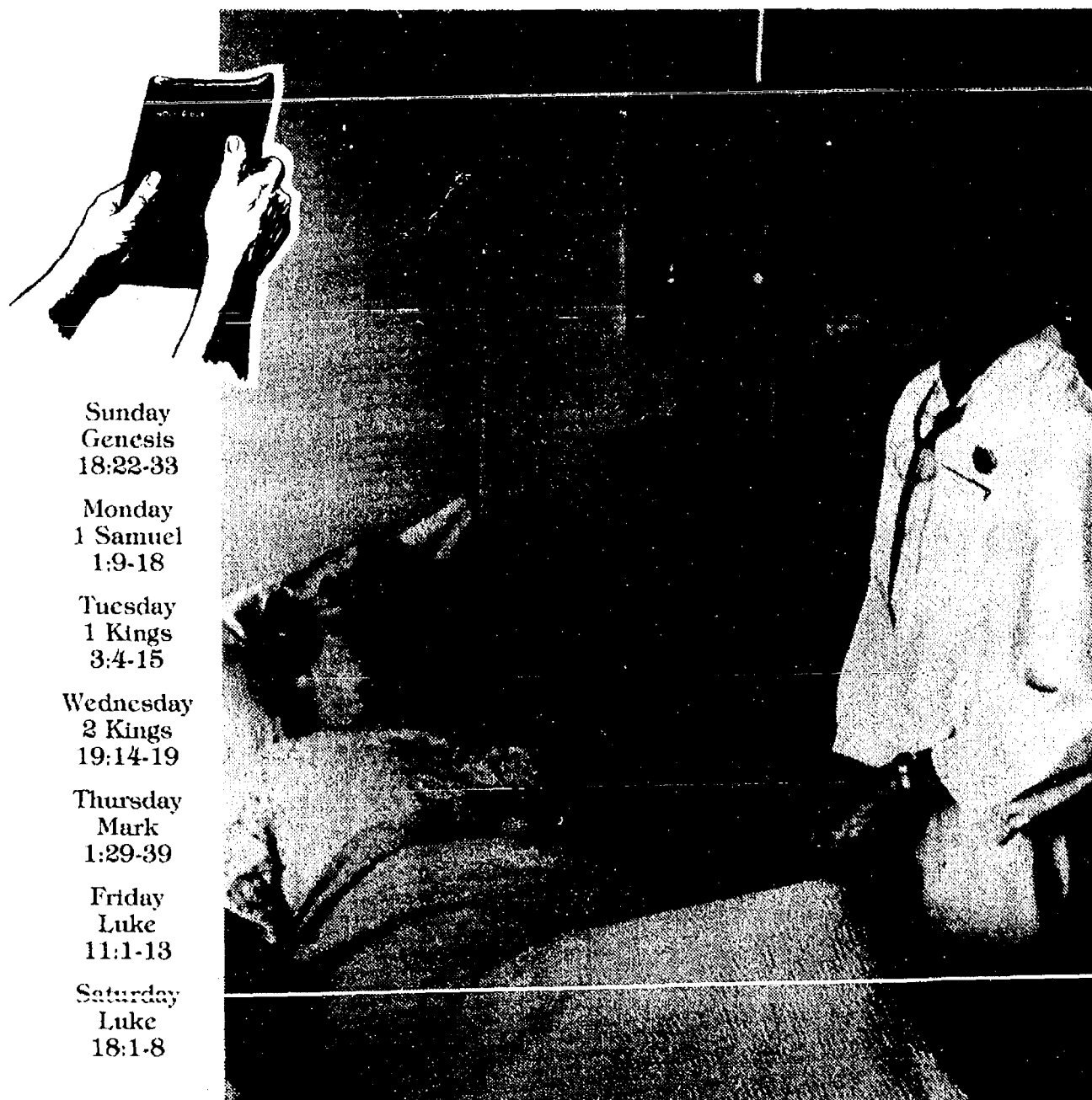
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1 Kings
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2 Kings
19:14-19
Thursday
Mark
1:29-39
Friday
Luke
11:1-13
Saturday
Luke
18:1-8

Roof Thatching

Miss Bertha's eighty-years did not show as she lay in the hospital bed facing surgery. We talked about the weather, the latest news, and about life in general.

Then, our conversation centered on faith. She told me the surgery was serious but she had no fear. "My roof is thatched," she said, and smiled as she noticed wrinkles of question marks forming on her young pastor's face.

"Your roof is what?" I stammered, searching for a handle of interpretation.

She took my hand in both of hers. "My faith in God was birthed when I was a little girl, and it has been growing ever since. Every day I have built my faith, and now that I face this unknown surgical journey, I have no fear. Nothing can harm me; nothing can scare me. My house of faith is firm, solid. I have covered the roof of my life with the teachings of God's word," and she took a deep breath, then called my attention outside her window.

"My roof is thatched."

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William Hazlitt

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 7th day of November, 1983, by JAMES L. RYDER, A SINGLE PERSON, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on November 7, 1983, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 220 of mortgages on pages 119-122; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety Dollars (\$26,039.19) principal and Two Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Three and 57/100 Dollars (\$2,683.57) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of July, 1986, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with interest thereon at 14 per cent (14%), together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows: Lands and premises situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, viz

LOTS 44 and 45, SHANGRI-LA SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Pages 3 and 4, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount bid at the sale, plus interest thereon at 14 per cent (14%), and any fees, taxes, or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

The property shall be offered for sale in parcels or in total.

Legal Notice

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interest in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

Take Notice, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Treasurer of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50% additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: State of Michigan, County of Crawford.

Commencing at S'ly line of Burton Court and E'ly R/W line of D & M R.R., th SW'ly alg R/W 59 ft. to a POB, th NE'ly and parallel with Burton Ct. 56 ft. th SE'ly at Rt angles 59 ft. more or less to AuSable River, th W'ly and upstream to D&M R/W, th NW'ly alg same 47 ft. more or less to POB being a part of Parcel C, Blk. 17, Original Plat to Village (now City) of Grayling, City of Grayling.

Amount paid \$87.02. Tax for Year 1982.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$135.53 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

City of Grayling 103 James Street Grayling, Mich. 49738

To George Sorenson, General Delivery, Grayling, MI 49738 last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

To James Sorenson, General Delivery, Grayling, MI 49738 last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Land Description: Crawford County, Beaver Creek Township, Sec. 24, T25N, R3W, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$215.54 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Signed Arthur W. Laczynski Eugene A. Laczynski 6951 So. Riverside Dr. Marine City, MI. 48039 -19-26-3-10-

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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN In The Circuit Court For The County of Crawford BRUCE R. DALE, JR. and DOREENA J. DALE, husband and wife, by JUELL B. JOSEPH, As Attorney in Fact, Plaintiff,

vs JODI HAWLEY and WILLIAM HAWLEY, husband and wife, Defendants

WILLIAM L. CAREY (P31602) Attorney for Plaintiff P.O. Drawer 665 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Telephone (517) 348-5232

GRACE DOPP WEGNER (P22902) Attorney for Defendants P.O. Box 708 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Telephone (517) 348-6141

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, made and entered in the above-entitled cause on the 5th day of May, 1986, notice is hereby given that the Crawford County Clerk shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the front door of the County Building in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, on the 16th day of July 1986 at 10:00 in the forenoon, the following described property, located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, to wit:

Village of Frederic, County of Crawford, Lots Fifty-Three and Fifty-Four (53 and 54), Hertig Fines Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof.

WILLIAM L. CAREY (P31602) P.O. Drawer 665 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Telephone (517) 348-5232 -22-29-5-12-19-26-

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Beaver Creek Township will be accepting bids on installing a new L.P. Gas furnace for the township hall.

Bids must be submitted by Monday, July 14, 1986, 7:00 p.m.

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Cletis Spears,
Supervisor

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4-H'ers Eligible For Meredith Scholarships

Ann Stephenson,
4-H Program Asst.

Crawford County college-bound 4-H'ers are eligible for two \$1,000 scholarships donated by the Edwin T. Meredith Foundation of Des Moines.

Present or former 4-H members who plan to enroll

as freshmen at an accredited college or university this fall may apply for the scholarships, which are part of the 4-H college scholarship program.

Winners are chosen by the Cooperative Extension Service on the basis of interest ability and 4-H background. The two winners will be selected from a 15-state area that includes Michigan.

Scholarship winners will be announced before the 65th National 4-H Congress, Dec. 6-11 in Chicago.

This college scholarship program is one of several arranged by the National 4-H Council, a not-for-profit educational organization supporting the 4-H program of the Cooperative Extension Service.

For more information and applications, contact Ann Stephenson at the Crawford County Cooperative Extension Service office, or call 348-2841 ext. 264.

Coordinator Hired For Recycling Post

The Northern Michigan Recyclers Cooperative (NMRC) announced that Doug Hyde, a former teacher and renewable resource specialist for the Michigan Department of Commerce, was hired by the Northeast Michigan Council of Governments (NEMCOG), under a contractual agreement with the NMRC. His responsibilities include developing educational programs for recycling, establishing a recycling clearinghouse, including a toll free recycling hotline, and coordinating the transportation and marketing of materials collected by local recycling centers. Funding for the position was made possible by a grant from the State's "Clean Michigan Fund."

Hyde can be contacted at the NEMCOG offices located in Gaylord at (517) 732-3551.

Bits by Fay

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Charles Rogers of Oxford, Michigan. The former Nina Peterson, she was the daughter of grocery store owner, Hans Peterson. The store was located where Dawson's now stands. Mrs. Rogers is survived by three daughters, eleven grandchildren, and sixteen great grandchildren.

Mrs. Clement Blaine and Mrs. Wilhelm Raae visited their niece and family, the Robert Munns in West Branch and attended the graduation of the Munn's daughter, Susan, from Ogemaw Heights High School. Susan's mother is the former Karen Marie Hanson, former Grayling resident.

The Grayling Promotional Association is looking for entries into the Milltown Festival Parade. If your business or organization would like to be a part of the parade, contact Rose Duley at 517/348-9214.

Paul Stephan of Soldotna, Alaska, came on June 11 to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Tressa Fenton, until after July 4 at which time he will return to Alaska with relatives. His aunt, Mrs. Pat Fowler and grandmother picked him up at Metro airport in Detroit. Tuesday morning of last week, while Elmer, Tressa and Paul were watching out the window from their cottage at Camp Thunderbird, a bobcat was seen stalking a rabbit.

While we are on the subject of wildlife, the Kesslers on Chestnut Street saw our deer again strolling up Chestnut and turning in to Bud Jones yard. He must like our neighborhood, we just hope he doesn't like our garden!

This year's Grayling Milltown Festival Grand Parade will be on Saturday, July 26th at 4:00 p.m. GPA hopes to make it the best ever. Look for an application for your business or organization to enter elsewhere in this paper.

Congratulations to Carl and Agnes Richardson of Bay City who celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on June 23, 1986. They visited their granddaughter and family in Oregon at the time. Anyone wishing to send a card to the former Grayling residents, the address is 1605-30th, Bay City, Mi. 48706. Their picture was in last Sunday's Bay City Times.

Betty Madsen and daughter, Sandy, and granddaughter, Shayla Moore flew to Houston, Texas to visit Betty's daughter, Shirley Hayes and family and to attend her granddaughter, Amy Hayes, high school graduation.

During their stay, they went to San Jacinto Monument and Battleship Texas, the Houston Zoo, Gilley's and Galveston Island.

Brad & Sandy Ayers of Maple Forest are the parents of a baby boy, Mark Brad, born Saturday, June 21, 1986 at Little Traverse Hospital in Petoskey. Mark weighed 7 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Ed Ayers of Maple Forest and Mr. & Mrs. Howard Haselhuhn of Sterling Heights, great-grandmother is Evelyn Lozon of Grayling.

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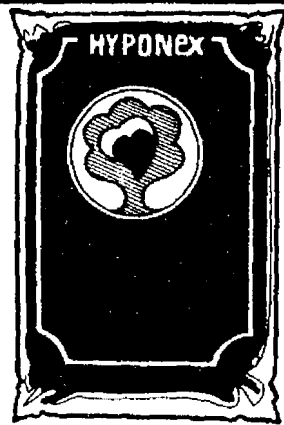
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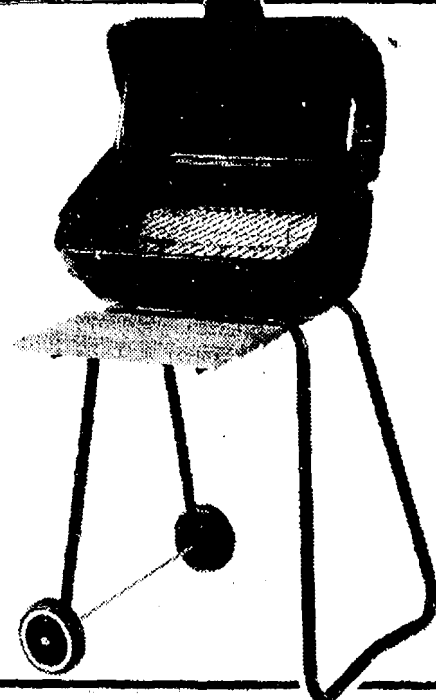


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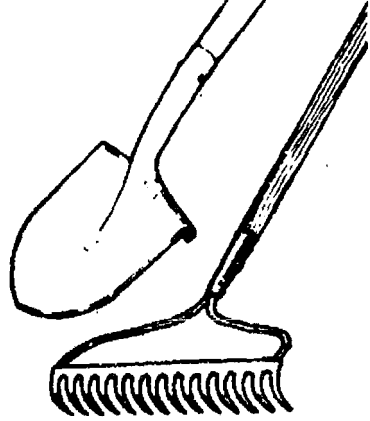
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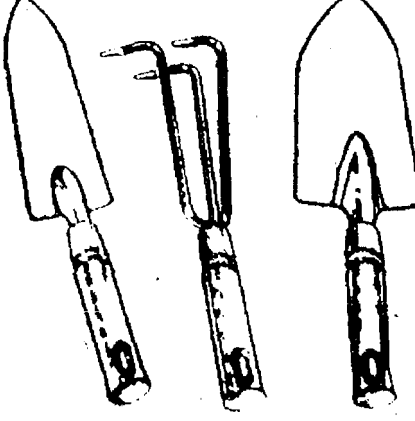


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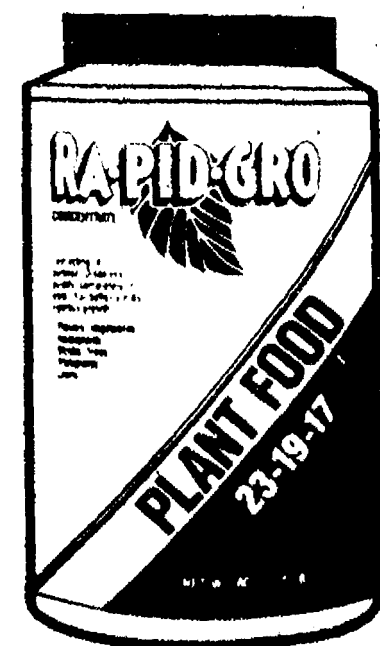
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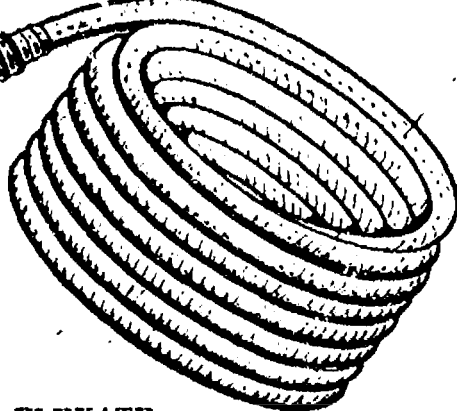
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